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HUGE JAIL-BREAK PLOT FOILED

BERLIN DEFIANT; URGES STRIKERS NOT TO GIVE IN

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

DUESSELDORF, Feb. 1.—Honors were about even on the twenty-second day of the gigantic economic battle now being waged between the French and the Germans. Sober second thought is increasing and the scarcity of food and growing unemployment today caused a body of German workers to make their first appeal to the French for assistance since the troops entered the Ruhr.

Six thousand paper-mill workers, threatened with closure of the Duesseldorf plants owing to lack of coal, sent a delegation to Gen. Degoutte requested that the French supply fuel necessary for continuance of work. Gen. Degoutte answered that the German railway men were responsible by failure to transport coal into Duesseldorf, but that he would have coal brought to the paper mills.

WEAKNESS ADMITTED

The Germans scored when M. Frantzen, one of the leading engineers of the French economic mission, speaking officially to the correspondents, admitted that the work of the mission depended upon the return to the Ruhr of the coal syndicate and co-operation with the mission, virtually admitting that the French were powerless to work the Ruhr industries without the Germans.

The output of the mines is gradually dwindling, but the food situation appears to be the greatest argument favoring surrender of the population to the French arms.

The French quartermaster's department has issued information that the supply service to the French army of occupation is operating normally, five trains of foodstuffs, sufficient for the army's needs, reaching the Ruhr today, but the French authorities have informed the Germans they are unable to transport food to the Ruhr civilian population, adding that if the railway men continue their strike, causing their own compatriots to starve, the responsibility is theirs.

The Germans are resorting to acts of violence. Another attempt to burn the roundhouse at Mayence was partly successful today, while a German, caught in the act of trying to set fire to the Duisburg roundhouse and locomotive shops was struck over the head with a rifle butt by a Belgian sentry and his skull fractured. The sentry reported that the German tried to disarm him. The German will probably die.

The French refused to make any official statement as to whether the measure forbidding the export of coal and coke to unoccupied Germany inaugurated at midnight was completely successful; they say they have not yet received reports from all the frontier points.

The populations of Elberfeld and Barmen, just outside the occupation zone to the south, are greatly alarmed because the French outposts are only four miles from those cities, and they have begun to remove the books, records and archives of the cities and municipalities, as well as of private firms, farther into Germany. The French announced officially that they have no intention of extending the zone of occupation "for the present."

RIVER PACT IS RATIFIED AT CAPITAL

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 1.—The Senate of the State Legislature tonight adopted a resolution ratifying the Santa Fe Colorado River pact. Similar action had heretofore been taken by the Assembly. The action was unanimous, but was preceded by a debate that lasted from early afternoon to 8 o'clock tonight.

The ratification vote followed the defeat, 29 to 10, of a motion by Senator Swing to delay consideration until after the constitutional recess.

Swing charged that California power companies desired quick ratification because they believed it would block passage of the Swing-Johnson bill providing for a Boulder Canyon dam.

"No harm can come from delay," Swing said. "We may make better terms by waiting. By ratifying now we would give away water rights it took years to acquire."

T. D. McCall, Imperial Valley rancher and representative of a faction which opposed immediate ratification, gave similar reasons for delay, in an address to the committee of the whole.

Atty.-Gen. Webb, however, recommended adoption at once for the reason that such action would serve to hasten ratification by the other signatory States.

The discussion, which opened before 4 p.m., waxed so warm around dinnertime that the Senators forgot their appetites and remained in continuous session until nearly 8:30 to dispose of the matter.

TEXAS FLOGGING QUIZ ENDS IN BLIND ALLEY

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

HOUSTON (Tex.) Feb. 1.—The county grand jury was adjourned today after declaring its inability to obtain from any source definite information on the flogging at Goose Creek on January 5 of Mrs. Audrey Harrison and R. A. Armand.

About fifty witnesses altogether were summoned from Goose Creek to testify with reference to the floggings.

Two arrests were made. The first man held was ordered released by the grand jury. The second was charged with assault to murder but his preliminary hearing was postponed indefinitely.

BLACK WAR IN GERMANY

Endurance Will Win Struggle for Coal in Ruhr; French Suffer Most, Germans Declare

BY GEORGE SELDES

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BERLIN, Feb. 1.—Berlin heard semiofficially today that the Swedish Premier, Branting's proposals for peacemaking consists of two parts:

First: Germany must agree to accept a discussion of the French moratorium proposals;

Second: France to withdraw from the Ruhr, keeping only Essen as a guarantee.

Officials when asked regarding Germany's attitude to such proposals declared the French keeping Essen as a pawn would prevent serious consideration.

The beginning of the coal blockade today is heralded as the "opening of black war." Everyone is asking who will hold out the longest through the blockade, France or Germany. Herr Stinnes's newspapers declare Germany is best prepared.

The coal war is a war of life and death for both nations," says Herr Stinnes in a leading editorial. "In this war France is weaker than Germany. Germany can get along without France, but France cannot get along without Germany."

Everyone is asking when will the black hunger affect the masses?

Minister of Economics Becker declares there is two months' ample supply in Germany's homes and industries, and "everyday the French blockade is not enforced means a victory for Germany."

In Germany's central coal zones, centering in the town of Halle, miners are beginning to work overtime and Sundays.

Germany experienced a considerable shock over the mine disaster at Beuthen, where the deaths total 106 and the missing seventy.

ROBBERS SLAY TRAVELER

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

CAIRO (Egypt) Feb. 1.—Travers Allan of Montreal, nephew of Sir Montagu Allan, was a victim of robbers near Luxor yesterday, the authorities announced today. His body was found two miles from Luxor on the road to Karnak, and it is believed that when attacked he was on his way alone to view the famous ruins by moonlight.

It's Just Like Pulling Eye Teeth!

Late News

Storm French Consulate

LONDON, Feb. 1. — A dispatch to the Times from Berlin says demonstrations were renewed at Koenigsberg this evening. A mob stormed the French Consulate and smashed all windows, but the security police prevented serious damage being done the interior of the building. There was some shooting near the consulate. Parades of men singing "Deutschland Uber Alles" and Communists singing "The Internationale" clashed during the evening. The police quelled the disturbance.

Fire Causes Explosion

Fire, believed to have been caused by spontaneous combustion, caused slight damage to the store occupied by the Novelty Cloak and Suit Shop at 610 West Seventh street early this morning. The fire department prevented a serious blaze, as a gasoline tank exploded soon after the fire started, sweeping the rear room of the establishment with the blazing fluid and setting fire to piles of dress goods stored there. The cause of the fire was investigated by Lieut. Al Slaten of the police flying squadron.

Oranges Out of Danger

SAN BERNARDINO, Feb. 2.—At 12:30 o'clock this morning storm clouds which had held up the temperature during the early night had disappeared. At that hour the thermometer here stood at 38 deg. and in the citrus sections of the county ranged from 38 to 42 deg. Growers said they doubted that the temperature would drop sufficiently to endanger oranges.

Negro Robs Woman

SAN BERNARDINO, Feb. 1.—An armed negro shortly before midnight walked into the bedroom of Mrs. H. L. Hyland here, turned on the light, aimde a gevolver at her and demanded money. The woman's husband was asleep at her side. She gave the burglar $7 and he left.

Canadian Train Robbed

REGINA (Sask.) Feb. 1.—A masked robber who bound Paul Venzke, express messenger on train No. 6 of the Canadian National Railway, to a steam pipe and gagged him with a handkerchief escaped with several thousand dollars between Prince Albert, Sask., and here this evening.

Ultimatum on Memel

PARIS, Feb. 1.—The ambassadors' council sent an ultimatum to the Lithuanian government at Kovno tonight to withdraw the Lithuanian troops from Memel frontier and dissolve the government of Memel within seven days.

RICHARDSON KEEPS ECONOMY PLEDGE; SLICES $12,000,000

BY KYLE D. PALMER

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 1.—With the submission to the Legislature today of a biennial budget calling for a total appropriation of $78,974,628.55, Gov. Richardson has fulfilled to the letter his pre-election economy pledge to the people of California. His budget recommendations provide for a net reduction of $12,025,371.45 under the biennial expenditures approved by Gov. Stephens two years ago.

The estimated revenue of the State for the biennium is $80,037,000, affording a surplus unappropriated by the Governor's budget of $1,062,371, and making unnecessary any additional taxation by the present Legislature. Should the Legislature, however, vote appropriations over the Governor's veto in excess of $1,062,371, an ad valorem, or direct property tax, will be necessary to meet additional expenditure.

The first gust of the storm that Gov. Richardson has repeatedly said he expected the budget to raise, was produced by Will C. Wood, Superintendent of Public Instruction. Mr. Wood gave out a prepared statement, which follows in part:

"The educational budget presented by Gov. Richardson is a gruesome jest at the sincerity of campaign pledges. It represents what is evidently a deliberate effort to starve the institutions of the State Department of Education that train teachers for the common school. Either the Governor's budget for the Department of Education is woefully inefficient or hopelessly extravagant. I welcome a chance to make this a clear-cut issue.

"The budget practically wrecks the Department of Education of this State, which is recognized throughout the nation as one of the most progressive, efficient and ecenomical."

For the first time in the history of California, a State administration has failed to demand an increase in appropriations over the preceding year or biennium. The biennial increase from 1919 to 1921 was approximately $39,000,000, and the increase over the six-year period former Gov. Stephens was chief executive of the State, from 1915 to 1921, approximated $56,000,000.

And hence, as Gov. Richardson explained in his straight-to-the-point message to the Legislature today, the budget for 1923 and 1924 not only represents a reduction of more than $12,000,000 under the total appropriations of 1921, but, in halting the former rate of increase in expenditures, represents a further saving of approximately $70,000,000, "which might have been piled on the people, had the orgy of political extravagance continued."

FOES DISAPPOINTED

Those who have been waiting eagerly for a chance to howl "calamity" over anticipated slashes in appropriations for educational and humane functions of government are afforded no opportunity for justifiable complaint.

Appropriations provided for education by Gov. Richardson's budget represent more than 60 per cent of the total and State hospitals and institutions have been adequately provided for.

The Governor's message accompanying his executive budget does not mince words as to the necessity for governmental economy of the most frugal kind and the statement as a whole is a direct challenge to pork barrel legislators either to abandon their plans for huge special appropriations or answer directly to the people for added items of expense.

One of the most vigorous passages of the message apparently is inspired by the activities of Superintendent of Public Instruction Wood, who has been chief among the group of State officials and members of the old Stephens-McCabe political machine fighting the new Governor and his program.

Urging thrift in the schools, the Governor asserts:

"The recommendations made for the schools are undoubtedly greater than they should be, but it has been my purpose to be liberal in the matter of education. Extravagance in educational matters has run riot during the past few years. Politicians in the guise of educators have squandered the people's money with a lavish hand and have denounced advocates of thrift as enemies of education.

"A great political organization has been built up which has cost the people an immense sum but has added little to the value of education given school children. The laws have been cunningly amended so that supervisors, school boards and boards of education have little control over the expenditures of school money and hence cannot check extravagance.

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Desperate Criminals Captured

Two gangs of desperate criminals, in all nine men and four women, asserted by the police to have been operating in Los Angeles and near-by cities for the past two or three months, were lodged in the City Jail shortly before dawn today. The arrests frustrated plans for a gigantic jail break in the Riverside County Jail, according to the police.

Police detectives, Sheriff Ryan of Riverside county and two detectives of the theft bureau of the Automobile Club of Southern California participated in the gang arrests, both of which were made separately.

Investigation of the activities of Jack Depew and Harold Berry, the latter an asserted ex-convict arrested at Desert Center three days ago by Deputy Sheriff S. A. Ragsdale, who overpowered the pair in a gun duel, led to the arrest of other members of their gang in this city.

MAKE NIGHT ROUND-UP

With information secured from the two prisoners Sheriff Ryan of Riverside came to Los Angeles yesterday and the round-up of the members of the gang was started late last night. Six detectives—Yarrow, Williams, Davidson, Vale, Jackson and Ellis—with Sheriff Ryan, surrounded a house near Seventh and Bixel streets a few hours after midnight and surprised the occupants while they were in bed.

Three men and two women were arrested at this place and a quantity of loot, much of which probably will be identified as stolen property, was loaded away by the officers. Ray Walker, 22 years of age, one of the men arrested at this place, is said to have admitted that plans were being made by the gang for a jail delivery in the Riverside County Jail to obtain the release of Berry and Depew.

Walker's wife and a girl who gave her name as Billie Thomason, aged 19 years, were arrested in the house along with Arthur Reed, 28 years old, and Edward T. Whistler, aged 45 years. Reed is a paroled convict, according to police records. Following this arrest the officers went to a rooming-house on South Hope street and there arrested two more members of the gang, who gave their names as Edgar Gard, 22, and Dan Farrell, 19 years of age. Farrel also is a paroled prisoner, it is asserted.

It is declared that numerous automobile thefts and hold-ups will be traced to the members of the gang.

SECOND GANG TAKEN

The second gang was taken into custody when Detectives Harry Raymond and William Simpson of the theft bureau of the Auto Club ran across a stolen car containing four men and two women, all negroes. Ordering the driver of the car to turn into the curb at the points of their revolvers, the two detectives kept the other members of the gang covered until the arrival of Detectives White and Partin of the police flying squadron.

Two of the men were found to be armed and when taken to Central Station all were found to answer descriptions of men wanted for recent oil-station robberies and black-jack hold-ups in the neighborhood of Central avenue.

George Elmer Jones, one of the suspects, was found to be equipped with keys to various makes of cars. Officers also learned that he may be held under a Mann Act charge for the transportation of one of the women under arrest to this city from Kansas City, Mo. The others under arrest gave their names as Charles Frazier, alias James Edwards, a sailor; Eugene Parker, Goldie Marshman, Corinne Bigelow and Miss Gussie Jones.

FOUR TO DIE FOR CRIMES IN ARKANSAS

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

LITTLE ROCK (Ark.) Feb. 1. Four white men, the largest number ever legally executed in Arkansas, will be electrocuted at the State prison here tomorrow morning. Last-minute appeals for executive clemency made today to Gov. McRae, including a "confession" by a brother of one of the condemned men, were unavailing.

The four men spending tonight in the death cells at the prison are Will Debord, Duncan Richardson, Ben Richardson and F. G. Bullen. The Richardsons are brothers, and Ben is but 19 years old. Duncan Richardson today, in an effort to secure a reprieve for Ben and Bullen, made his "confession," in which he took full blame for the murder of Ira Culp, the crime for which the three will die tomorrow. The statement, however, was given no credence.

BOLSHEVIKI WON'T SIGN PEACE PACT

Britain May be Forced to Make Separate Treaty With Turkey

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

LAUSANNE, Feb. 1.—Although such action had been expected, Bolshevik Russia's refusal today to sign the Near East peace treaty setting forth conditions for the opening of the straits to the Dardanelles and the Bosphorus and the demilitarization of the straits zones caused depression in Near East conference circles.

Tchitcherin, the leading Russian delegate, urged that the whole question with regard to the straits be reopened.

By doing this, the Bolshevik Foreign Minister declared, the Allies would repair their fault of seeking to impose upon Russia a treaty which Russia had not had suitable opportunity to discuss. His request was refused by the Allies.

WARNS CONFERENCE

Ismet Pasha, the chief Turkish representative, objected, saying the straits convention left Constantinople practically defenseless. He said the extraordinary Turkish forces in Thrace and Constantinople should be limited to 20,000 men. Turkey also wanted the right to establish a garrison at Gallipoli. Ismet warned the conference that Turkish acceptance was connected with acceptance of the general peace treaty.

The Russia delegation tonight distributed the texts of the two addresses made by Tchitcherin before the conference today. They show that the Moscow leader charged that the straits convention was "the fruit of secret negotiations," but that Russia was ready in the interest of conciliation to make important concessions.

The original project, Tchitcherin said, was that the total of all the foreign warships permitted to pass the straits should be equal to that of the strongest fleet in the Black Sea. Russia deemed that dangerous, because any fleet on the Black Sea could be artificially strengthened, fleets united with it, then the equilibrium of the Black Sea would be overthrown. What Russia wanted was that the total foreign tonnage should be restricted to one-fifth the total tonnage of the Black Sea states, including Turkey.

When the Russian request to reopen the discussion was refused, Tchitcherin charged that the Allies had imposed their views on Turkey by an ultimatum and the menace of war. And as for Russia, he added, the Allies simply had asked her to sign a blank check, because Russia did not even know the purport of some clauses of the compact which affected her commerce.

SEPARATE TREATY

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

LONDON, Feb. 1.—The possibility of Great Britain finding herself obliged to conclude a separate treaty with the Turks owing to France reserving the right to do likewise in the event of failure of the Lausanne negotiations, was admitted for the first time by the government here today.

This latest twist in an already complicated situation was precipitated by the receipt through the British Ambassador at Paris of what the Foreign Office here terms a very serious note from Premier Poincare apprising the British Government of the steps France would consider it necessary to take should the Turks decline to sign

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BATTLE OVER BRITISH DEBT PLAN BEGINS

Refunding Commission Has Conference With Sir Auckland Geddes

BY ARTHUR SEARS HENNING

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Events today left no doubt that the Sixty-seventh Congress is going to stage as its finale a spectacular battle over the refunding of the $4,000,000,000 British debt to the United States and a soldier bonus to be financed from the proceeds of the British payments.

Here are the outstanding developments of the day:

(1.) Representative Hamilton Fish Republican, New York, spokesman for the "veterans' bloc," announced that the soldier bonus bill vetoed by President Harding would be offered as a rider to the debt bill and predicted its passage.

(2). Representative Fordney, Republican, Michigan, chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, which will frame the debt refunding legislation, while favoring a soldier bonus said he would fight the proposed rider.

(3). Although he condemned the principle of a soldier bonus in his veto message President Harding, according to Fordney, would not oppose a bonus financed from war debt payment eventually, but does oppose injection of bonus legislation into the debt refunding measure.

VITUPERATIVE DEBATE

(4). Senators McKellar, Democrat, Tennessee, and Heflin, Democrat, Alabama, precipitated a vituperative debate in the Senate on the British debt settlement which they vituperatively assailed as un-American, McKellar being dubbed pro-German by Senator Glass, Democrat, Virginia, and Heflin being called to order for connecting Senator Wadsworth, Republican, New York, with "Wall street sharks."

(5) The American Debt Refunding Commission in session with British Ambassador Geddes, studied the details of the British Cabinet's acceptance of the American terms of settlement and began preparation of a recommendation of modification of the debt refunding act.

"There is no good reason why a bonus bill should be delayed until the interest payments are actually made," said Fish. "My amendment will provide that bonuses shall be paid when the money in sufficient amounts to meet the cost is paid by Great Britain. Such an amendment would do away with any further wrankle about bonuses. I understand that the interest payment will amount to about $160,000,000 yearly, while one-third of this amount will be all that will be necessary to pay the bonuses."

Representative Johnson, Republican, South Dakota, another ex-service man, said that sentiment in favor of a soldiers' bonus amendment was so overwhelming that no point of order could prevail against it. He felt sure that it would carry in the House by a big majority.

With the soldiers' bonus thrust to the fore again, administration leaders, including President Harding himself, are frankly worried over the effect of the funding agreement on the legislative situation. They are fearful that introduction of funding legislation now will seriously jeopardize the chances of the ship subsidy bill, which, it is recognized, must be

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SMUDGE POTS KEPT READY

Occasional Showers Save Thousands of Dollars and Relieve Fears of Citrus Growers

Following is the rainfall, in inches, reported from various Southern California points up to 10 p.m. yesterday:

Station—	24 hrs.	Storm.	Season.	Last year.
Los Angeles	.63	1.25	6.58	13.60
Anaheim	.66	1.60	9.42	11.35
Fullerton	.56	.98	5.78	15.53
Huntington Beach	.15	1.17	6.01	14.22
La Habra	.68	1.20	6.22	14.48
Long Beach	.34	1.04	7.24	12.17
Los Angeles Harbor	.35	2.19	7.35	9.24
Pasadena	.63	1.57	9.59	22.36
Pomona	Trace	1.54	8.77	17.35
Redlands	.54	1.33	7.19	18.25
Riverside	.16	1.37	8.57	14.35
Redondo Beach	.55	.95	5.66	9.53
San Bernardino	2.35	2.40	8.73	9.35
San Diego	.29	.79	3.57	15.94
Santa Barbara	.10	.38	15.41	12.42
Yorba Linda	.67	1.65	5.19	14.48
Tustin	1.10	2.12	11.39	22.13

Frost danger which appeared in the citrus orchards late Wednesday night and early yesterday morning has been dispelled by the continued cloudy weather and occasional showers. A light wind, present in most localities all day aided in keeping the freezing crystals from the ripening fruit. No danger has been reported from any of the citrus sections of Southern California and the fear of a great loss which appeared Wednesday night has vanished entirely.

It is probable that very few orchards in the entire southern section lit smudge pots and at no place was there a united effort to fight the lowering temperature. In some places, particularly in the Pomona Valley, where the danger was great, the temperature raised after dark, sending the thermometer at Pomona from 37 to 48 at 10 o'clock. In Pomona Floyd M. Young, government weather observer said that a light wind supplied with cloudy skies had removed all danger of frost. It was a "$10,000,000 wind," he said.

In Los Angeles a slight drizzle appeared late in the afternoon and continued into the night. Here .02 of an inch of rain was recorded, bringing the season's total to 6.56, as compared with 13.30 at this time last year.

Over Fresno and Tulare counties a low temperature has prevailed for the last twenty-four hours, but no great damages has been reported. It was estimated that the mercury might fall to 26 degrees in some parts of the citrus belt of Fresno county during the night, but even at that low figure orchardists were confident that the

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PLEDGES KEPT BY RICHARDSON

Budget Calls for Decrease of $12,000,000

Calamity Howlers Find No Cause for Complaint

Extravagance in Schools is Scored

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The people are loud in their protest as indicated by hundreds of complaints received by me, but they are unorganized and unable to cope with the schemes of certain political educators.

BUSINESS BASIS ASKED

"The expenditure of school money in this State must be put on a business basis and the schools must not only teach but practice thrift. Educators should be left in control of educational matters, but sound business men should be in control of expenditures."

The net budget appropriations is energetically emphasized by Gov. Richardson, who takes occasion to point out the inadequacy, inequity and possible illegality of the King Bill as follows:

"The much heralded and misnamed King Bill not only increased the burden upon the people, but it failed to materially increase the revenue of the State because the railroad corporations appealed to the courts, which permitted them to settle with the State at the old rate of 5 1-4 per cent instead of the new rate of 7 per cent while the suit is pending. To attempt to still further increase the rates on public utility companies in view of present litigation would be futile.

The people ultimately pay every dollar of tax whether it be direct or indirect."

THE PEOPLE PAY

The statement continues:

"While the State derives most of its revenue from a franchise tax on corporations, this tax is passed on to the people with an added burden. The Railroad Commission has ruled that taxes are a part of the operating expense of corporations, and must be added in fixing rates. After the increase of rates on public utility corporations at the last session of the Legislature, the Railroad Commission increased the rates on fares, light, water, gas, telephones and people found they did pay the tax."

Gov. Richardson then proceeds to remind the legislators that: "So, while I am faced with the duty of obeying the mandate of the people as expressed in the recent election, I am also faced with the necessity of keeping State expenditures below the income. You are faced with the same mandate, and the same necessity. The State should live within its income and limit its needs. Every citizen of California finds himself confronted with the necessity of curbing his financial desires and cutting down his needs. As soon as the boy becomes a man he finds he must spend less than he earns or bankruptcy faces him. The State must practice the same philosophy."

He assures the Senate and Assembly that "because a given appropriation has merit is not sufficient reason for its passage, as, if this were the guide the budget would exceed all bounds of reason."

WHOLESOME LESSON

The Governor also intimates that adoption of his budget "will not only save the people millions of" recommended by Gov. Richardson follows:

Legislative, $438,739.34.
Judicial, $1,272,746.85.
Executive, $99,600.00.
Administrative, $1,604,932.06.
Preventive, $2,014,950.23.
Corrective, $1,046,630.66.
Curative, $6,312,852.35.
Penal, $2,144,486.00.
Conservation, $88,128.00.
Developmental, $1,528,848.00.
Defensive (National Guard) $419,499.00.
Education, $49,788,415.10.
Miscellaneous, $238,200.00.
Bond interest and redemption, $16,229,676.00.
Emergency, $700,000.00.

SCORES KING BILL

The net estimated revenues of the State for the coming biennium will be increased $5,200,000 if the suits filed by certain railroad corporations enjoining the State from enforcing provisions of the famous "come through" King Tax Bill are decided adversely to the corporations.

The fact that the people ultimately pay every form of taxation dollars, but will afford a wholesome lesson to cities and counties, and may save the people millions more."

Suggesting that further investigation of State expenses during the legislative recess may result in additional reductions, and commenting on the fact that "many of the departments are in charge of hostile officials who have handicapped us in every way," Gov. Richardson proceeds with a general statement of finances and the need for greater economy and efficiency.

"The budget presented is complete in detail, giving as many as 100 items in a department, and is in striking contrast with former official budgets, which frequently contained only two items. It also covers the so-called self-supporting boards and commissions not included in previous budgets. While it has been a laborious task to prepare all of this detail, it will provide invaluable information to you when you come to analyse and consider it. You will undoubtedly find that many other economies can be effected.

RESPONDS TO MANDATE

"In preparing this budget I have used every endeavor to live up to the mandate of the people as expressed at the primary election last August and at the general election in November. The people expressed themselves strongly in favor of economy and efficiency in State government of eliminating unnecessary expense, of cutting out useless boards and commissions, of taking off the pay roll political parasites and the wrecking of the political machine which in the past few years has squandered millions of dollars of the people's money. I have heeded the voice of the people and made many cuts regardless of any political consequences to myself. I have hewed to the line, letting the political chips fall where they may. The advocates of the 'pork barrel' idea in appropriations have been given no consideration. I have tried to consider the State as a whole and the general needs of the people. My chief purpose has been to relieve the people of their great burden of taxation.

"While the net budget total is $78,574,628.55, it contains $700,000 for emergencies and $1,200,000 for flood control. With these two items eliminated the budget would be $77,674,628.55. The great sum of $49,788,415.10 is provided for education. In short, more than 60 per cent of the budget is for education.

HIGHWAY BOND INTEREST

"A total of $16,229,676 in the budget is to pay interest and principal on State highway bonds. The fixed charges provided by law total $59,624,226.75, as compared with $48,576,199.15 two years ago. The budget has been reduced from 1921 despite the fact that the fixed charges have increased $11,048,-027.60.

"This budget contains flood-control items aggregating $1,350,000, of which $600,000 is for reclamation work in the Sacramento Valley and $500,000 for flood control in Los Angeles county. The legislatures of 1919 and 1921 appropriated $6,000,000 for these two projects and spread the payment out over ten years. Continuing appropriations of this kind are unfair to future administrations and are of doubtful propriety. Both of these projects are sectional in character, and such a policy pursued over the State would cost many millions. As the credit of the State has been pledged, however, the amount is included in the budget.

"If the State taxes were used solely for State purposes the budget could be greatly reduced. The greater part of this budget is for money for county and district purposes. The State will pay to the counties $37,261,860 for elementary and secondary schools for the coming biennial period; $673,914.60 for salaries of superior judges, $576,-983.33 for school books, $12,606,000 for aid of county orphans; and this budget shows $16,229,676 to pay interest and principal on bond money used in building roads in the counties. The policy of unloading county functions upon the State has helped increase the budget."

The Governor recommends retention of the Sonoma Home for Women for two years in order that the institution may be given not only a fair but a sympathetic trial." He also recommends an appropriation for the California Polytechnic School at San Luis Obispo, "for the continuance of this school until such time as it can be changed into some other line or used for some other State institution."

QUAIL IS CAUGHT IN ODD MANNER

Pouch Crane on Mail Car Impales Bird Trying To Make Escape

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

GLOBE (Ariz.) Feb. 1.—Near Rice, while an Arizona Eastern train was speeding toward Globe, a quail, of a covey disturbed by the train, flew in such manner as to become impaled on the point of the pouch crane projecting from the mail car. The bird was brought in as evidence, and was eaten by the station agent.

BOARDS, BUREAUS, INSTITUTIONS HIT BY BUDGET CUT

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 1.—The biennial budget presented to the Legislature today by Gov. Richardson represented eliminations and reductions ranging from a few dollars to sums in excess of $600,-000. In a number of instances appropriations were increased. Appropriations for the support of hospital patients and inmates of other institutions are not decreased and in a majority of cases such appropriations are materially increased.

State departments whose appropriations were extensively decreased or increased by the new budget recommendations as compared to expenditures for the preceding biennium follow, with the appropriation and increase or decrease indicated:

Board of Control, $919,962, a decrease of $31,864.

Printing Department, $1,221,800, a decrease of $65,702.

Motor Vehicle Department, $1,-592,417, an increase of $101,015.

Civil Service Department, $46,-340, a decrease of $41,555.

Board of Health, $514,928, a decrease of $641,913.

Medical examiners, $79,850, a decrease of $68,423.

Dental examiners, $17,600, a decrease of $20,292.

Board of Pharmacy, $98,680, a decrease of $67,614.

Bureau of Labor Statistics, $288,000, a decrease of $140,193.

Industrial Welfare Commission, $31,080, a decrease of $84,500.

Railroad Commission, $793,600, a decrease of $414,264.

Industrial Accident Commission, $543,820, a decrease of $256,641.

Harbor Commission, San Francisco, $4,298,239, a decrease of $437,805.

Insurance Commissioner, $144,-930, a decrease of $64,716.

Banking Department, $412,950, an increase of $37,320.

Corporation Department, $849,-272, a decrease of $14,392.

Real Estate Department, $149,-480, a decrease of $124,298.

Industrial Home for Blind, $211,836, an increase of $11,829.

Ventura School for Girls, $208,-884, a decrease of of $51,575.

Preston School, $547,965, a decrease of $40,192.

Whittier School, $260,903, a decrease of $147,936.

Department of Institutions, $103,000, an increase of $12,176.

Agnew Hospital, $998,760, an increase of $36,395.

Mendocino Hospital, from which 200 patients will be transferred, $465,250, a decrease of $50,646.

Napa Hospital, $1,349,080, a decrease of $56,441.

Norwalk Hospital, $541,145, an increase of $58,923.

Sonoma Home, $1,020,681, an increase of $92,121.

Patton, $1,315,625, an increase of $138,490.

Stockton Hospital, $1,409,629, a decrease of $321,427.

San Quentin Penitentiary, $1,-425,000, an increase of $146,345.

Folsom, $728,680, an increase of $61,176.

Bureau of Criminal Identification, $34,800, a decrease of $16,281.

Board of Forestry, $94,628, a decrease of $158,192.

State Agricultural Society, $339,-130, a decrease of $82,477.

State Department of Agriculture, $1,235,009, a decrease of $416,974.

Division of Water Rights, $133,-780, a decrease of $48,283.

Fish and Game Commission, $689,529, a decrease of $473,445.

State Board of Education, $128,-440, a decrease of $77,282.

Superintendent of Public Instruction, $85,610, a decrease of $10,645.

University of California, $9,658,947, an increase of $971,998.

RUSSIANS TURN DOWN TREATY

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the Lausanne treaty. France might as well have told the Turks that the treaty which has been drafted after ten weeks dickering between the Allies and Ismet Pasha was to be regarded only "as a basis for negotiations," according to the British official spokesman.

The British reaffirm their contention that they never desired to conclude a separate peace with Angora, but declare there is no reason to prevent it if the French attitude makes it necessary. It is pointed out that the French mandate for Syria was cinched during the negotiations and there are relatively few points remaining for adjustment between France and Turkey, but capitulations, straits jurisdiction and several other momentous issues are pending between London and Angora.

The Foreign Office disclaims knowledge of the French note to Angora referred to in Paris dispatches which intimated a French desire to negotiate separately with the Turks and which, it was declared, had the approval of the British Ambassador in Paris.

The only note France has sent to the Turks which had the approval of Great Britian was the one forwarded some time ago voicing the pious hope that the Lausanne negotiations would lead to a settlement, it is stated here.

Despite the French action which jeopardizes the result of the protracted treaty making attempt in Lausanne, the British still decline to characterize French conduct as "going behind our backs." However, it is indisputable that the Poincare not achieved overnight a moderation in the British viewpont as interpreted yesterday.

The expression exercised by the British in discussing the matter maye be taken as another sign of reluctance in London to admit a wide divergence in Anglo-French policies in the Near East as well as in the Ruhr.

WAR CLOUDS GATHER

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SOFIA, Feb. 1.—The war cloud hanging over Western Thrace may unloose a torrent of destruction at any moment.

The Greeks and Serbs, in apparent agreement, have concentrated troops close to the frontier. Turkish forces are assembling in Eastern Thrace and making other war preparations.

The Greeks have concentrated around Fram 35,000 men ready to march against the Maritza front. The Serbs have concentrated two divisions in Doiran, Gehvghell and Monastir and also are understood to have hired part of Gen. Wrangel's forces to participate in the operations if hostilities develop.

The Macedonian revolutionists under the leadership of Theodor Alexandroff are arming the population in Macedonia to start a fire in the rear of the Serbians in case hostilities are reported. Alexandroff has an understanding with the Croatian Nationalists.

SMUDGE POTS IN READINESS

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wet ground would protect them from loss. This is the second time this season that low temperature has prevailed in Tulare county, yet no damage has been reported. A blanket of snow lies very low on the hills, being reported at the 1200-foot level at Three Rivers. There is fifteen feet of the "beautiful" in General Grant Park.

For the first time in twenty years the snow line crept to within twenty miles of San Diego last night. A white mantle now crowns Mount San Miguel, the nearest high peak to the city. There are ten inches of snow at Cuyamaca Lake, sixty miles east. A slight hailstorm visited the city during the afternoon yesterday.

In the groves and orchards near Santa Paula, in Ventura county, heavy smudging was in progress Wednesday night and will be continued until late this morning. The mercury went as low as 28 deg. On the famous Limoneira ranch more than two hundred men are employed, keeping the frost-preventing apparatus in operation.

DAMPNESS HELPS

Fears that Jack Frost might make his appearance in Riverside county Wednesday night failed to materialize as 41 deg. was the lowest temperature registered. There was no smudging and growers were confident last night that it would not be necessary to light the pots. Should there by any chance be clearing skies, the ground is so damp, it is pointed out, that a low temperature is a remote possibility. The fruit is so well matured that it can stand quite rigid weather.

According to reports from various parts of Orange county, the lowest temperature of the season was reached at 4 a.m. yesterday, when the mercury went as low as 34 deg. in unprotected places. No smudging was done in the Tustin district. Smudge pots were lighted on the Hewes ranch at an early hour. Reports from the northern part of the county say that no damage has occurred there. Cloudy skies, moisture in the ground and dew on the trees is credited with preventing serious damage and ranchers are all of the opinion that as long as these conditions prevail there is no cause for worry.

In the Anaheim district growers are standing ready to fight the frost upon notice from the observers. The lowest temperature recorded Wednesday night was 30 above zero. It is expected that a somewhat lower temperature will be reached early this morning. Cloudy skies and misting rain is acting as a guard against heavy loss.

HEATERS PREPARED

At Glendora the temperature has not risen above 47 since Wednesday afternoon and went down to 26 and 27 during the early hours yesterday morning. Practically all orchards here are equipped with smudge pots and these were kept busy during the night. Extra precautions were taken last night against a still further drop in temperature.

J. W. Arnold, in charge of the frost survey service at Redlands, said last night: "Similar conditions prevail in the Redlands district as they did Wednesday night. It has been cloudy all day and if this condition obtains there will be no danger. If it clears the mercury will drop to 25 deg. in exposed places and heating will be begun to protect the crops there. It is not probable that it will be necessary to light any heaters before 3 a.m., if at all. The area of low pressure which was traveling east last night turned in Arizona, and came west again, saving the day."

Growers here are not apprehensive, but have their heaters ready and will watch the thermometer carefully. It was not necessary to light the heaters here Wednesday night at all.

ARGUES THREE STATES WILL NOT LOSE MUCH

COLORADO RIVER COMMISSION EXPLAINS PURPOSES OF WATER SYSTEM

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Arizona, Nevada and California, the three States in the Lower Basin of the Colorado River system, will lose little potential hydroelectrical power through operation of the pact making the impounding of water for power development secondary to its use for agricultural and domestic purposes, the Colorado River Commission today informed Representative Hayden of Arizona, in reply to his request for information on the subject. The slight loss that may be sustained in power, the commission added, would be made up by the economic benefit to the three States, through development of agricultural lands now in a semiarid condition.

"The subordination of power to agriculture," the commission said, "will only diminish power in case it is necessary to stop the entire flow of the river at some lower dam at a particular season to create reserves for the agricultural community. Indeed, this could not happen for at least 100 years, as it would contemplate a development of acreage in the Lower Basin far beyond that now dreamed of.

"The adequate development of power can only be obtained through erection of storage dams and irrigation of the upper basin of the Colorado River system. Irrigation of the Upper Basin would act in itself as a reservoir, regulating the flow of the river, increasing the minimum flow and thus increasing the average power.

"Obviously use of water for irrigation in the Upper Basin must, in some edgree, diminish the volume of power in the Lower Basin. But it cannot be pretended that the Upper Basin is to be denied the right to use of water for agricultural purposes because of power demands in the Lower Basin. As a matter of fact the power possibilities of the river are in no way diminished by the compact, unless it is assumed there is not to be an equitable division of water."

NEVADA ASSEMBLY REPEALS DRY LAW

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CARSON CITY (Nev.) Feb. 1.—Two measures repealing the prohibition laws in Nevada were passed by the State Assembly today by a vote of 27 to 9. The measures previously had been passed by the Senate.

FIGHT STARTED OVER WAR DEBT

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passed at this session or not at all.

Senator Lodge, Republican, Massachusetts, Republican leader in the Senate; Senator Smoot, Republican, Utah; Senator Watson, Republican, Indiana, and Representative Burton, Republican, Ohio, all conferred with the President about the situation today. They are understood to have urged Mr. Harding to lose no time in laying the British debt agreement before Congress.

The President, it is believed, will do this, but at the same time he is making preparations to crack the party whip in an emphatic manner to get action on the ship subsidy. He is preparing a letter to Senator Jones, Republican, Washington, chairman of the Senate Commerce Committee, in charge of the subsidy, calling upon the Administration supporters in the Senate to rally and bring every parliamentary pressure to bear to force a vote on the subsidy bill before March 4.

Senator McKellar, Democrat, Tennessee, touched off the fireworks in the Senate by declaring himself opposed to taxing the American people approximately $58,000,000 to make up the difference between the interest rate on the Liberty bonds and the interest rate which the British will pay.

Senator McKellar made remarks about the British of an uncomplimentary character, and Senator Glass charged that Senator McKellar was "stating the pro-German view; not the American view." Senator McKellar retorted that such a statement was "unworthy" of the Virginia Senator and the incident passed without violence.

TAX AMERICAN PEOPLE

Senator McKellar asserted that in order to make up the difference in the interest rate on the Liberty bonds and in the rate which the British would pay under the funding agreement, the United States would have to tax the American people $58,000,000 a year during the next ten years and about $35,-000,000 a year thereafter "for the benefit of Great Britain."

Senator Heflin deplored the willingness to tax the American people to pay the difference in the interest rate on the Liberty bonds and the interest rate, which the British are to pay while there was such apparent reluctance to provide a soldiers' bonus. Senator Wadsworth retorted that the people of New York had voted $40,000,-000 for soldiers' bonus and demanded of the Alabama Senator: "Where was Alabama when New York was doing that?"

"Being robbed by New York," shouted Senator Heflin. "I represent the American people. I do not represent the Wall-street bond sharks nor the international gamblers."

CALL HEFLIN TO ORDER

Senator Lodge quickly made a point of order against this remark. He declared that Senator Heflin was insinuating that Senator Wadsworth did represent "bond sharks." After a long wrangle, the vice-president ruled that the words themselves did not transgress the Senate rules, but that the manner of utterance and the general attitude of Senator Heflin did. Therefore, he called Heflin to order and the Alabama statesman was compelled to take his seat. The Democrats set up an outcry of resentment at the Vice-President's ruling and Senator Robinson, Democrat, Arkansas, promptly appealed from the decision.

"Things have come to a pretty pass," said Senator Robinson, "when a Senator of the United States cannot state that he represents the American people and that he does not represent bond sharks."

Senator Wadsworth charged that Senator Heflin had also intimated that Chief Justice Taft "represented Wall Street," when he made his trip to England last year. Heflin vigorously denied that he had intended to convey such an intimation.

Senator Lodge countered with a motion to table the appeal and matters stood in this complicated light when the Senate adjourned for the day through inability to muster a quorum. The controversy will be fought out tomorrow.

Senator Borah, Republican, Idaho, issued a statement expressing regret over the debt settlement. He said he had hoped that the adjustment of the debt question would be worked out in connection with a reconstruction program in Europe.

Following the meeting of Ambassador Geddes and the American debt commission, it was learned that the plan of amortization calls for a series of annual payments in dollars, to be increased annually over the sixty-two-year period until they would aggregate 100 per cent of the original principal. A rate of 4¼ per cent interest is to be retroactive and applied to the capital sum of $4,070,000,000 of the debt as of May, 1919, replacing the rate of 5 per cent, thus providing a restatement of the debt outstanding as of Jan. 1, 1923. The assumption is that the $100,000,-000 interest paid by Britain last August will be credited on back interest.

Great Britain, it was stated, will have to accumulate exchange in order to pay in dollars, and may buy 2⅛ to 2⅜ per cent Liberty Bonds and deposit them to replace paper on which rates as low as 2 per cent are being obtained, thus deriving the advantage of the difference. Also it was said Great Britain might float a bond issue of its own and convert into Liberty Bonds.

BALDWIN CRITICISM

The British embassy issued a statement commenting on the criticisms of remarks made by Stanley Baldwin, chancellor of the exchequer, upon his return to England from this country.

"Telegraphic inquiries made by this embassy in London show that Mr. Baldwin did not grant any interview to any representative of the press," said the statement. "On arrival he was surrounded by ten or a dozen reporters who asked innumerable questions, to some of which Mr. Baldwin replied informally."

"The remarks attributed to Baldwin in certain organs of the American press that the debt had got on the nerves of the American people and that Congress would not be willing to eat its own legislation are without discoverable foundation.

"Mr. Baldwin neither criticised nor aspersed any section of the American people. On the contrary, he sought to express his great appreciation of the kindness and courtesy which were extended to him throughout his recent visit to this country."

ADJOURNMENT DUE SATURDAY

House Expected to Concur in Amendment

Senate Takes Action to Hold Back One Day

Miscellaneous Business is Cleared Away

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 1.—The State Senate tonight amended a joint resolution for adjournment, which the Assembly had adopted for tomorrow noon, by changing the date and hour to Saturday noon. Assemblymen said that in view of the mass of work that was now on hand the Assembly would doubtless concur in this amendment tomorrow, thus making adjournment for the recess come Saturday.

The Legislature today passed three emergency appropriations, and numerous resolutions; it received a flood of bills, aggregating nearly 400 in the two houses; it authorized an investigation of charges that civil service employees had been compelled to pay toward the last primary election; it took first steps toward a still more inclusive investigation of election expenses.

EMERGENCY MEASURES

The three emergency appropriations that finally found their way to the Governor for his approval were, respectively, to complete the new State printing plant at Sacramento; to complete the new State building at San Francisco, and to pay a deficiency in the appropriation for printing constitutional amendments and other measures on the last ballots. These were all Senate measures, and because they carried emergency clauses, each required three roll calls in the Assembly, where they were acted upon late today.

The city of Los Angeles also secured the passage of an emergency resolution approving an amendment to the city charter, recently adopted by the electors, and fixing a city tax limit of $1.25 on every $100 of taxable property.

CARTER'S RESOLUTION

A resolution by Carter of Los Angeles county, calling for an investigation of charge that officers of the State had demanded and received campaign assessments from civil service employees during the last primary campaign in August of 1922, was passed by a vote of 73 to 2, after a vain effort had been made by Grittenden to amend it to extend its scope to all elective officers of the State.

Speaker Merriam said late today that he would not appoint the Carter committee before tomorrow morning. That committee was authorized to sit during sessions, to call witnesses, and generally to go into the questions raised by the resolution in any way that would get at the facts.

Senator Sharkey of Martinez today introduced a bill patterned after a New York statute, to make it a misdemeanor punishable by a minimum fine of $500 or 300 days in jail, or both, for a person to cause to be printed in a newspaper any false information concerning another person.

BONUS MAY BE GIVEN BY SOUTHERN PACIFIC

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 1.—The Southern Pacific Company is contemplating giving bonuses to employees who refrained from joining the recent walkout of the shop crafts, it became known last night. Officials of the company gave no definite statement on the matter of awarding the bonus but it was learned they have asked for the names of the 250 railroad employees at Ogden who remained at work during the strike. It has been known that the company has considered the award for some time, following the action of the Baltimore and Ohio railway in giving bonuses to several thousand employees for remaining at work during the walkout.

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SNOW CATCHES MOTORISTS

En Route to Arrowhead Lake, Edward Maier and Party Exposed Nine Hours to Blizzard

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

SAN BERNARDINO, Feb. 1.—With the temperature below zero and in three feet of snow, a party of Los Angeles motorists, including Edward Maier, owner of the Vernon baseball club, his wife, mother, and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brandt, were prisoners of a blizzard for nine hours Wednesday night when their automobile stalled in a snowdrift on the road to Lake Arrowhead in the San Bernardino Mountains.

From late in the afternoon until past midnight, the Maier party and two unidentified motorists whose car was also half buried in the drift, fought the blizzard, before being rescued by a truck from Lake Arrowhead.

Unable to reach the lake the motorists deserted their cars on the grade and returned to Hesperia on the desert, arriving shortly after 3 o'clock this morning. The temperature at Hesperia was 8 degrees above zero. Before an open fireplace in the Hesperia Hotel the women, who suffered severely in the blizzard, recuperated from the effects of their experience of eastern weather.

Half way up the new road near Rattlesnake Canyon the Maier party was unable to pass the stalled car of the unidentified motorists. Maier volunteered to aid the stalled autoists by attempting to shove the car through a drift. The Maier car was disabled and the stalled car only driven further into the drift.

Known to have been on route to the lake, the failure of the Maier party to arrive by 10 o'clock excited guests at the Lake Arrowhead clubhouses, and a truck driver volunteered to buck the blizzard in a search for the missing party. For three hours he bucked his car up the grade out of the lakes before finding the Maiers and Brandts on the crest of the mountains in the path of the blizzard.

There is four feet of snow in the valley. Tractors were working today to open the road.

LEGACY IS LEFT TO WIFE

Will of Late Lord Northcliffe Fractionally Divides Entire Estate

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

LONDON, Feb. 1.—The will of the late Lord Northcliffe, drawn up in 1919, in favor of which his will of last July was invalidated, today in the court for testamentary dispositions after making provision for certain trusts, deeds and other matters, bequeaths all the publisher's personal effects to Lady Northcliffe and gives her an immediate legacy of 10,000 pounds. She is also given a free-hold of the house of Carlton Gardens to be held in trust during her widowhood. After her death or relinquishment the house goes to the residuary estate. Beyond the 10,-000 pounds mentioned no definite sums are specified for receipt by any of the relatives; instead the will makes the bequests in fractions.

Thus the whole realized estate is divided into 100 equal parts, 71 3-4 of which are known as the residuary trust fund and the remainder as the legacy fund. Under the residuary fund Lady Northcliffe will receive 25 per cent of the total funds of the income annually during her widowhood. Eight per cent goes to Lord Northcliffe's mother, 2 per cent each to his three sisters, and 4⅛ per cent is divided among three of his brothers—Vyvyan, St. John, and Charles.

Various annuities are settled on a number of more distant relatives and former associates of Lord Northcliffe and the legacy fund provides for nearly three-score legatees.

FILM REVIEW BILLS ARE UP IN ASSEMBLY

MEASURES WOULD SUBJECT PICTURES TO SANCTION OF BORAH

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 1.—Two bills providing for "boards of review" for motion pictures in California were offered to the Assembly today by Representative Roberts of Los Angeles and Williams of LeGrand.

The Roberts bill would create a board of motion-picture review, headed by the State Superintendent of Public Instruction, with four associates nominated by his department and appointed by the Governor. They would be empowered to pass on all films to be exhibited in California after August, 1923, and on all reissues after that date of films made before then. Films made in the interim would be free from their inspection.

A license charge of $2.00 a reel is provided to meet the expense of the board, and provisions made for enforcing the terms of its act.

Dr. Williams's bill also provided for a board of review sustained by fees, and provided penalties for infractions of its provisions.

HARBOR IS SWEPT BY HEAVY WIND

Three Boats and Seaplane Smashed; Ship Crews Are Marooned

A forty-five-mile-an-hour gale sweeping from the southeast and accompanied by heavy rain and hail storms was lashing the outer harbor here last night and playing havoc with small craft in the outer port.

Three small boats and the seaplane F5L No. 1 were cast up on the rocks and pounded to pieces by heavy seas. Hundreds of sailors attached to the fleet were marooned either on their ships or on the piers, unable to get to and from their ships because of the mountainous waves.

The seaplane was moored in the outer harbor. It was torn from its moorings and dashed on the rocks. A dory and motor sailer from the U.S.S. Gannet were sent out to salvage the plane. Caught in the heavy seas, the two boats capsized near the beach and the sailors were forced to swim and wade to shore.

It also was reported that a motor sailer from the battleship California had been washed ashore on Dead Man's Island and is being pounded to bits.

No effort is being made as yet to salvage the small vessels and the seaplane because of heavy seas.

A record low temperature was also reported at the harbor last night when the thermometer reached 29 deg. above zero. A thin coat of ice covered docks and piers.

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Pacific Coast Is Mapped for Army Aviators

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 1.—An Army aviator's map, worked out on such an elaborate scale that Army officers believe it will be virtually impossible for aviators to become lost on the Pacific Coast in the future, has been completed, it was announced today. The map embodies a comprehensive survey of all mountains and valleys of the Coast.

Officers assert the map will permit aviators to determine where their provisions are, although the territory is wholly unfamiliar. Lieuts. Walter A. Miller and Harold A. Moore have been testing the map for several weeks.

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66118 Some Day You Will Miss Me (Grey-Darewski) Sophie Braslau.

87265 Hallelujah—Aus Signor! (Hall, Sovereign Lord). In Italian. Feodor Chaliapin.

87262 Martha—Parlor Song (Canzone del porter). (Flotow). In Italian. Titta Ruffo.

66117 Oh! or I'm words acbie! Oh, How Can I Forget! Negro-spiritual. The Dehlia.

87263 Cradle Song (Wiegenlied) (Brahms). In German. Ernestine Schumann-Heink.

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66122 Hungarian Dance No. 1 (in G Minor) (Brahms). Violin Solo. Jascha Heifetz.

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74708 Symphony in G Minor, No. 5—Finale (Part 1). Toscanini-La Scala Orch.

74779 Symphony in G Minor, No. 5—Finale (Part 2). Toscanini-La Scala Orch.

66119 Song Without Words (Chanson sans parole). Violin Solo. Fritz Kreisler.

83719 Faust—Ballet Music—Cleopatra and the Golden Calf. Victor Symphony Orch. Faust—Ballet Music—Dance of Cleopatra and Her Slaves. Victor Symphony Orch.

45330 Spring Song (Song Without Words) (Mendelssohn). Harp Solo. Alberto Salvi. Ballad of the North—Finale (Pezzoli). Harp Solo. Alberto Salvi.

89074 Toy Symphony—Part 1—Andante Moderato (Haydn). Victor Concert Orchestra. Toy Symphony—Part 2—Rondeau and Finale. Victor Concert Orchestra.

18987 I'll Take You Home Again, Kathleen. Violin Solo. Mildred Graham. Waltz Serenade. Mildred Graham.

18986 My Old Kentucky Home—Waltz. Ortes-Pineda and Harp-Ortiz. Moore-Bush. Isle of Sweethearts—Waltz. Ortiz-Pineda and Harp-Guitar. Moore-Davis.

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... the temperature below zero ... Angeles motorists, including ...Ball club, his wife, mother, ...risoners of a blizzard for nine ...mobile stalled in a snowdrift ... San Bernardino Mountains.

...om late in the afternoon until ...midnight, the Maier party and ...unidentified motorists whose ...was also half buried in the ..., fought the blizzard, before ...rescued by a truck from Lake ...wheel.

...nable to reach the lake the ...rists deserted their cars on ...grade and returned to Hesperia ...he desert, arriving shortly ...3 o'clock this morning. The ...perature at Hesperia was 8 de... above zero. Before an open ...fire in the Hesperia Hotel ...women, who suffered severely ...the blizzard, recuperated from ...redness of their experience of ...ern weather.

...ut way up the new road near ...Cajon Canyon the Maier ... was unable to pass the ...d car of the unidentified mo... Maier volunteered to aid ...talled autoists by attempting ...move the car through a drift. ...Maier car was disabled and the ...d car only driven further into ...drift.

...own to have been en route to ...ake, the failure of the Maier ...to arrive by 10 o'clock ex... guests at the Lake Arrow... clubhouse, and a truck ...volunteered to buck the ...rd in a search for the miss... party. For three hours he ...ed his car up the grade out ...he lake before finding the ...es and Brandts on the crest ...the mountains in the path of ...e blizzard.

...ere is four feet of snow in ...valley. Tractors were working ...day to open the road.

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...three small boats and the sea... PSL No. 1 were cast up on ...rocks and pounded to pieces by ...surf. Hundreds of sailors ...ked to the fleet were marooned ...on their ships or on the ..., unable to get to and from ...ships because of the moun... ...waves.

...seaplane was moored in the ...harbor. It was torn from ...moorings and dashed on the ... A derry and motor sailer ...the U.S.S. Gannet were sent ...to salvage the plane. Caught ...the heavy seas, the two boats ...tossed near the breakwater ...were forced to swim and ...to shore.

...also was reported that a motor ...from the battleship Califor... had been washed ashore on ...Man's Island and is being ...towed to Pitts.

...effect is being made as yet to ...ge the small vessels and the ...mage because of heavy seas. ...record low temperature was ...reported at the harbor last ... when the thermometer ...stood 20 deg. above zero. A thin ...of ice covered docks and piers.

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NEGATIVE DAY FOR LAWMAKERS

Arizona Legislators Mark Session by Refusals

Adverse Action Taken on Many Measures

Late Administration in for an Investigation

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PHOENIX, Feb. 1.—The legislative sessions today were remarkable, especially for what the houses refused to do.

There was adverse action on a bill to allow county officials to reside elsewhere than the county seat—this for the benefit of Judge Windes of Tempe; on a bill that would give the Mine Inspector an auto; on a bill to draw sharper lines on the search and seizure law; on a bill repealing the real-estate license law, and on a bill that would permit appointment of a person other than a physician as superintendent of the State Asylum for the Insane. This job has had a new occupant oftener than most of the other State offices.

It was decided that the Legislature would not accept an invitation to go to Castle Hot Springs Sunday, as the wives had not been included, and that sessions would be held tomorrow despite the fact it will be Southern Arizona arbor day.

The Senate passed its first general bill, one relating to oaths, and also passed a House bill calling for investigation of the affairs of the late State administration, with employment of experts and signified its belief in something very wrong by raising the House appropriation of $10,000 to $20,000, to be spent by the Governor.

Senator St. Charles called the attention of the Senate to the progress made in the California Legislature, toward approval of the Colorado River pact. In the House was an echo of the early legislative corporation baiting when Mrs. Rosa McKay arose to call attention to the fact that attorneys representing corporations other than municipal have appeared before the legislative committees without first filing a full statement of whom they represented and what they proposed to ask. There was agreement the rule would be enforced in the future. Mrs. McKay's minimum wage rule was given favorable recommendation in the Senate, though much objection was made, several members calling attention to the fact that the figure of $16 a week would serve to cut out apprenticeship of Arizona young folk and would serve to bring in employees from other States.

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RECORDS FOR USE OF GAS FALL

Three Los Angeles Utility Companies Supply Total of 105,000,000 Feet

[2] records for the "send-out" of heating and illuminating gas were broken yesterday when 105,000,000 cubic feet were supplied for consumption in Los Angeles by the three companies in operation here.

On Wednesday, when 95,000,000 feet were sent out, this amount was more than 25,000,000 feet in excess of the high mark in 1922.

These facts were made public yesterday by Chief Gas Engineer H. L. Masser of the State Railroad Commission, in answer to the asserted criticism because the natural gas supply of several local industries had been discontinued temporarily.

Mr. Masser pointed out that in order to give householders gas of sufficiently high quality it was necessary to include natural gas in their supply, and that the unprecedented demand caused by the cold snap was responsible for the diversion of natural gas from private industries.

The gas situation now is much better than last year, Mr. Masser declares. During a cold spell last year outlying sections of the city suffered insufficient gas supply for three days, and thousands of complaints were made. This year, he reports, but few complaints have been made, despite a demand that has exceeded all estimates prepard by the gas companies.

BELIEVE BOY KILLED SELF

The body found in Sunset Canyon near Burbank Wednesday, clothed in a complete Boy Scout outfit, is believed to be that of a suicide, it was announced yesterday at the Sheriff's office.

Deputy Sheriff Charles Catlin, A. C. Fillback, an undertaker, the Burbank Chief of Police, and another officer went to the canyon yesterday and brought the body in. The youth had been dead about six weeks, it was estimated. A bullet hole in the shirt was powder burned, and a revolver found with the body had one exploded cartridge.

Besides the Boy Scout clothing there was a compass, canteen and mess mag, such as Boy Scouts use, the latter containing two boxes of sardines. There also was a rifle and two boxes of cartridges. Laundry marks and a belt buckle bearing the initial "A" are relied on by the officers to establish identification.

MEXIA CRUDE HIGHER

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DALLAS (Tex.) Feb. 1.—The Magnolia Petroleum Company today announced, effective tomorrow, an advance of 10 cents a barrel on Mexia crude and Corsicana light crude oils. The new price for Mexia is $1.90 and for Corsicana $1.80 a barrel.

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ASHES BURY CLEWS TO FIRE CAUSE

Old Educational Institution Is Destroyed

Ruins of Griffin-Avenue Grammar School

NO CLEWS to establish incendiarism as the cause of the fire that yesterday morning destroyed the Griffin Avenue Grammar School were found after an all-day investigation by Capt. E. H. Enos of the fire prevention bureau, and Detective Sergeant Taylor.

The condition of the ruins of the school, which was one of the oldest in the city, made it impossible to determine where or how the blaze started.

Patrolman H. L. Urquidded of the Lincoln Heights police, passed the school at 4 a.m. yesterday, on his way to ring up the station. Ten minutes later he saw the roof fall in and the top of the building in flames, showing that the fire had started inside the school and not from defective outside wiring.

CLASSES ARE RESUMED

Classes started at 10 o'clock yesterday morning in an annex recently built, and for the preceding two hours the hundreds of schoolless pupils caused the firemen on guard endless anxiety by their desire to explore the ruins, unmindful of the danger threatened by the charred walls and brick chimneys, which remained standing.

The children time and again darted through the cordon of firemen and impeded efforts to clear up the fire-swept school site. A rope was passed about one of the chimneys. Twenty firemen seized the other end of the hawser and heaved. The cable parted and the firemen went sprawling in the mud. Before they scrambled to their feet, the children once more broke through the lines.

For the present, pupils of the first four grades will attend morning sessions from 8 o'clock until 12:30 o'clock. Pupils of other grades taught at the school will attend during the remainder of the day.

EXERCISES ARE POSTPONED

The destruction of the famous old three-story frame building necessitates the postponement of graduation exercises.

A modern unit of the school, recently built, was not damaged.

Miss Estelle Cowan, who has been principal of the school for twenty-five years, said all records had been destroyed.

Work will start immediately on a new building to replace the old school destroyed by fire early Thursday morning, according to plans made at the meeting of the Board of Education yesterday. In order to avoid any unnecessary delay, a design for a twelve-room building will be selected by the business manager from among the plans already on hand, although that means the duplication of some buildings now standing or in construction.

The board was notified yesterday that the Public Safety Commission will consider the request made by the board that the site of the Polytechnic High School be eliminated from the fire zone in which theaters and auditoriums are required to be of class A fireproof construction. The board desire to erect a new auditorium for Polytechnic High School of Class C construction, the standard type for school buildings and considered by members of the board sufficiently fireproof.

STORY WINS DECREE FOR YOUNG WIFE

Girl Forced to Wed Under Threat While on Visit Here, She Tells Jurist

A proposal of marriage enforced with a revolver, was followed by a hasty wedding in Santa Ana on Aug. 19, 1922, which ended yesterday in Chicago. Mrs. Lincoln Douglas Swanwick, 20 years of age, was granted an annulment and given permission to resume her maiden name of Rose Shirley Taxey.

In her statement to the Chicago judge Mrs. Swanwick declared that she met Swanwick while she was in this city on a vacation trip. She declared that she took an automobile ride with him and that he proposed marriage to her while they were driving through Santa Ana.

"After I refused to marry Swanwick," declared the young woman, "he pointed to a bulging hip pocket and told me that he was armed and would kill me if I did not marry him at once. He then drove to the Santa Ana Courthouse, where we were married. When we came out of the Courthouse I ran away from him and took a street car back to Los Angeles. I left the city the next day and returned to my home. I have not seen him since."

SCHOONER STORM-DAMAGED

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 1.—The schooner Columbia, bound from Honolulu to British Columbia, put into this port today for repairs to sails and rigging damaged in a storm encountered yesterday.

WOMAN HURT IN DRY RAID VERY SICK

Mrs. D'Auito Removed When Condition Takes Turn for the Worse

A sudden turn for the worse in the condition of Mrs. Margarita D'Auito, who was injured in a prohibition raid, resulted yesterday in her removal to the French Hospital from her home at 645 Lemar street.

According to a report submitted to Deputy Dist.-Atty. McClelland yesterday by Drs. H. E. Southworth and Edward H. Anthony, who examined the injured woman, her condition is due to the injuries received when her home was raided by Prohibition Agents C. H. Wheeler and F. C. Neal.

The report to the District Attorney's office by the physicians refuted reports of the supposed death of a prematurely born baby. Mrs. D'Auito is not about to become a mother, and there was no premature birth, the physicians declare.

Wheeler and Neal are at present at liberty on bonds, pending their hearing on February 8 on a charge of assault.

EXPERT TO TALK ON ADVERTISING

Kenneth Barnard

An announcement of particular interest to Los Angeles advertising men is that of the local better business bureau of the Advertising Club concerning the arrival on Friday of Kenneth Barnard, associate director of the National Vigilance committee, headquarters of the truth-in-advertising movement.

Barnard is making a six weeks' tour of the Pacific Coast, spending several days with each of the nine better business bureaus, in advisory capacity, and working out plans for the further co-ordination of bureaus with each other and with the national organization. This is the third trip by an official of the truth-in-advertising headquarters in the last four years, William P. Green, now director of the national committee, having toured the Coast in 1918, and Richard H. Lee, then general counsel, two years later. While their purpose was to assist in forming new bureaus, however, Barnard's is to further develop and standardize those already operating.

Before becoming associate director of the parent body, Barnard was manager-counsel of the better business bureau of Toledo, O., one of the strongest bureaus in operation, and thus brings to the work the viewpoint of the bureau manager. Barnard is greatly pleased with conditions in general among western bureaus, according to Ferris R. Miller of the local bureau.

Barnard will confer with executives of the Los Angeles bureau and Advertising Club, and will address the luncheon meeting of the Advertising Club next Tuesday. He will leave Tuesday evening for San Diego, his last stop on the Coast trip.

BEATEN BY BANDITS

Joseph Grejalbr Knocked Out and Robbed in Street

While peacefully walking on New High street late last evening, Joseph Grejalbr of 734 Clara street, was jumped on by two bandits and severely beaten on the head with a butcher knife, according to a report made to the police. After knocking him unconscious, the thugs relieved him of $27 in currency and fled. The victim was removed to the Receiving Hospital where his condition is said to be serious.

ENSEMBLE IN MODERN MOODS

Music of humor and of poesy fantastic and at times actually bizarre, music for the most part of the present, with a characteristic pictorial inflection, ruled with the intellectuality of its newness the program of the Los Angeles Chamber Music Society last night at Gamut Club Theater. Such music is usually the source of manifold enjoyment to the listeners who favor progressive tendencies, and the offerings last night met with a cordial response from the audience.

The renditions were noteworthy in their beauty and their quality, with especial applause going to Andre Maquarre, the flutist, who played in three different selections—the Eugene Goosens Trio for flute, violoncello and piano; the Jules Mouquet Suite in Sonata Form, known as "La Flute de Pan," and his own Suite Romantique for woodwind instruments. Fritz Gaillard, the cellist, was the recipient of an ovation for his rendition of the Sonata for violoncello and piano, by Boellmann, which he gave with that capable pianist, Homer Grunn. The other musicians were Henri de Busschop, éboist; P. Perrier, A. Raimondi, clarinets, and M. Fuhrmann and A. Heynes, bassoons.

Mr. Maquarre's Suite Romantique is carefully written for the unique combination of instruments. The three movements are suggestive of nature's background of the woods, and the pictures, owing to the ensemble, are well defined, offering high lights of charm and beauty.

Mouquet's Suite was also pictorial in mood. However, the spirit of the composition is mythological, and perhaps a bit symbolic. It is in a semiromantic and occasionally radiant modern vein, with the second and final sections appealing as particularly unusual. These had moments of evanescent beauty.

The Goosens Trio is a flashy brilliant affair, at times intensely descriptive, and endowed with rare comic feeling. It was really greatly enjoyed by the audience for its delightful novelty and capriciousness.

The Boellmann Sonata is familiar. Mr. Gaillard excelled in the dynamism and brilliance of his tone, but disclosed a contrasting velvety quality in the Andante. The bass notes in this section were notably rich.

Mr. Marquarre's intonation on the flute is something to be conjured with. Smooth and flowing, his trills and grouped notes are remarkably lovely, and his playing is free from the breathy effect.

SUGAR PRICES INCREASED

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 1.—An increase of 10 cents a hundred pounds in the price of refined cane sugar, to $7.20, was announced today by the Western Sugar Company. The Spreckels Sugar Company also announced a like increase in the price of refined beet sugar making the new price of $7.

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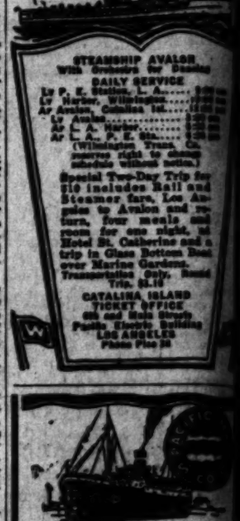

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SYNOPSIS OF PREVIOUS CHAPTERS

John Philip Wingate, a prominent figure in New York's Wall street, has an enemy of years standing in Peter Phipps, who heads British and [illegible] Grenades in England. The latter and [illegible] Phipps's company is known in the stock market, has for its purpose the cornering of the country's wheat. And to date has succeeded, with a consequent shortage of bread in England. Wingate comes to England, meets Kenyon, his fiancee's brother, and learns of the intention of breaking Phipps on the market. At a social gathering Wingate renews a wartime friendship with Lady Dreffington, whom he had met in France. The fact that Lady Dreffington is unhappy does not escape the attention of Wingate, and because his generosity urges her he searches for the cause and finds it in Lord Dreffington, her husband, a member of the B. and I. board. Wingate made Andrew Slate, a friend of his college days, whose business of late years is confined to the manipulation of [illegible] questionable character, and retains him as part of his future plans. Next day Lady Dreffington calls at Wingate's apartment to discuss with him the part she is to play in the undoing of Phipps and the B. and I. She promises Wingate with an opportunity to make known his true regard for her. Several days later, Henry Phipps's nephew, and a member of the B. and I. syndicate, disappears. Wingate visits his broker and expresses the opinion that the company will soon meet with serious reverses.

CHAPTER XVII

Wingate, after several strenuous hours spent in Slate's office, returned to his rooms late that night, to find Peter Phipps awaiting him. There was something vaguely threatening about the bulky figure of the man standing gloomily upon the hearth rug, all the spurious good nature gone from his face, his brows knitted, his cheeks hanging a little and unusually pale. Wingate paused on the threshold of the room and his hand crept into his pocket. Phipps seemed to notice the gesture and shook his head.

"Nothing quite so crude, Wingate," he said. "I know an enemy when I see one, but I wasn't thinking of getting rid of you that way."

"I have found it necessary," Wingate remarked slowly, "to be prepared for all sorts of tricks when I am up against anybody as conscienceless as you. I don't want you here, Phipps. I didn't ask you to come and see me. I've nothing to discuss with you."

"There are times," Phipps replied "when the issue which cannot be fought out to the end with arms can be joined i nthe council chamber. I have come to know your terms."

Wingate shook his head.

"I don't understand. It is too soon for this sort of thing. You are not beaten yet."

"I am tired," his visitor muttered. "May I sit down?"

"You are an unwelcome guest," Wingate replied coldly, "but sit if you will. Then say what you have to say and go."

Phipps sank into an easy-chair. It was obvious that he was telling the truth so far as regarded his fatigue. He seemed to have aged ten years.

"I have been down below in Stanley's rooms," he explained, "been through his papers. It's true what the inspector fellow reports. There isn't a scrap of evidence of any complication in his life. There isn't a shadow of doubt in my mind as to the cause of his disappearance."

"Indeed!" Wingate murmured.

"It's a villainous plot, engineered by you," Phipps continued, his voice shaking. "I'm fond of the boy. That's why I've come to you. Name your terms."

Wingate indulged in a curious bout of silence. He took a pipe from a rack, filled it leisurely with tobacco, lit it and smoked for several moments. Then he turned toward his unwelcome companion.

"I am debarred by a promise made to myself," he said coldly, "from offering you any form of hospitality. If you wish to smoke, I shall not interfere."

Phipps shook his head.

"I have not smoked all the evening," he confessed. "I cannot. You are right when you say that we are not beaten, but I like to look ahead. I want to know your terms."

"You are anxious about your nephew?"

"Yes!"

"And why do you connect me with his disappearance?"

Phipps gave a little weary gesture.

"I am so sick of words," he said. "We will argue the matter, then," conceded Wingate, "from your point of view. Supposing that your nephew has been abducted and is held at the present moment as a hostage. It would be, without doubt, by some person or persons who resented the brutality, the dishonesty, the foul commercial methods of the company with which he was connected. An amendment of those methods might produce his release."

"And that amendment?"

Wingate picked up a newspaper and glanced at it, pulled a heavy gold pencil from his chain and made a few calculations.

"Your operations in wheat," he said, "have brought the loaf which should cost the working man a matter of sevenpence up to two shillings. You seem to have dabbled in a good many other products, too, the price of which you have forced up into the clouds,—just those products which are necessary to the working man. But we will leave those alone. If you were to sell wheat at 45 per cent less than today's price, I should think it extremely likely that Stanley Rees would be able to dine with you tomorrow night."

"You are talking like a madman," Phipps declared. "It would mean ruin."

"How sad!" Wingate murmured. "All the same, I do not think that you will see your nephew again until you have sold wheat."

"You admit that you are responsible, then?" Phipps growled.

"I admit nothing of the sort. I am simply speculating as to the possible cause of his disappearance. If I had anything to do with it, those would be my terms. Tomorrow they might be the same; perhaps the next day. But," he went on, with a sudden almost fierce break in his voice, "the day after would probably be too late. There are a great many hungry people in the north. There are a great many who are starving. There is one in London who is beginning to feel the pangs."

"You are ill-treating him!" Phipps cried passionately. "I shall go to Scotland Yard myself! I shall tell them what you have said. I shall denounce you!"

"My dear fellow," Wingate scoffed, "you have done that already. You have induced those very excellent upholders of English law and liberty to set a plain-clothes man to following me about. I can assure you that he has had a very pleasant and a very busy evening."

Phipps rose to his feet.

"Wingate," he exclaimed, "curse you!"

"A very natural sentiment. I hope that you may repeat it a good many times before the end comes."

"You are a conspirator — a crim.nal!" Phipps continued, his voice shaking with excitement. "You are breaking the laws of the country. I shall see that you are in gaol before the week is out!"

"A good deal of what you say is true," Wingate admitted, "with the possible exception of the latter part. Believe me, Peter Phipps, you are a great deal more likely to see the inside of a prison than I am. You will be a poor man presently and poor men of your type are desperate."

Phipps remained perfectly silent for several moments.

"Wingate, you are a hard, enemy," he said at last. "Will wou treat?"

"I have named the price."

"You are a fool!" Phipps almost shouted. "Do you know," he went on, striking the table with his clenched fist, "that what you suggest would cost five million pounds?"

"You and your friends can stand it," was the unruffled reply. "If no., your brokers can share the loss."

"That means you make a bankrupt of me?" Phipps demanded hoarsely.

"Why not?" Wingate replied. "It's been a lonk duel between us, Phipps, and I mean this to be the final bout."

Phipps moved his position a little uneasily. He was keeping himself under control, but the veins were standing out upon his forehead, his frame seemed tense with passion.

"Tell me, Wingate, is it still the girl?"

Wingate looked across at him. His face and tone were alike relentless, his eyes shone like points of steel.

"You did ill to remind me of that, Phipps," he said. "However, I will answer your question. It is still the girl."

"She was nothing to you," Phipps muttered sullenly.

"One can't make your class of reptile understand these things," Wingate declared scornfully. "She came to me in New York with a letter from her father, my old tutor, who had died out in the Adirondacks without a shilling in the world. He sent the girl to me and asked me to put her in the way of earning her own living. It was a sacred charge, that, and I accepted it willingly. The only trouble was that I was leaving for Europe the next day. I put a thousand dollars i nthe bank for her, found her a comfortable home with respectable people, and then considered in what office I could place her during my absence. I had the misfortune to meet you that morning. Time was short. Every one knew that your office was conducted on sound business lines. I told you her story and you took her. I hadn't an idea that a man alive could be such a villain as you turned out to be."

"You'd be a fine fellow, Wingate," Phipps said, with a touch of his old cynicism, "if you weren't always sheering off toward the melodramatic. The girl wanted to see life, she attracted me, and I showed it to her. I'd have done the right thing by her if she hadn't behaved like a hysterical idiot."

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Memorial for Dr. Reinsch in China Solemn

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SHANGHAI, Feb. 1.—The American, Chinese and international communities here have joined in an impressive memorial service in honor of Dr. Paul S. Reinsch, former American Minister to China, who died last week.

Representatives of the President of China, the British and other foreign governments were present, as well as members of various public organizations and graduates of the University of Wisconsin in China.

Dr. Reinsch's body was cremated and the ashes were sent to the home of his wife in Madison, Wis.

WHISKY OWNER FINED

Frances E. Willard was fined $250 in U. S. District Judge Trippet's court yesterday for having in her possession 340 gallons of whisky. She pleaded guilty to possessing the stuff, which was found at 559 North Vermont avenue.

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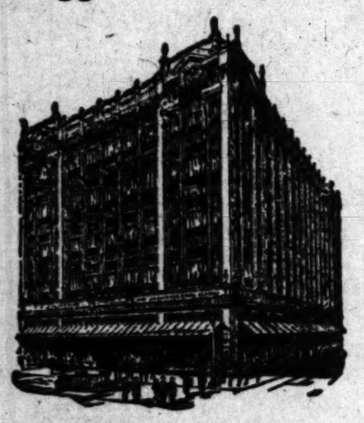

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NEWS OF SOUTHERN COUNTIES

PREACHER PAYS FOR SWINDLING

Rev. Lawrence Makes Sick Bed Atonement

He Sold Property Not His Own; Was Convicted

Wife Turns Fiction Writer to Make Sum Good

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

ONTARIO, Feb. 1. — Having atoned for his sins on what may be his deathbed, through the repayment of money obtained in a fraudulent land deal here, for which he was convicted ten years ago, Rev. Charles Lawrence, former Ontario minister, was freed today from a vision of the penitentiary which has been constantly before his eyes since.

Aided by his wife, Mrs. Alberta Lawrence, who admitted her part in the swindle, Rev. Lawrence ended a struggle against adversities when he forwarded a check to Chief Dep. Dist.-Atty. M. O. San Bernardino for $11,000 for payment to E. A. Welch well-known Ontario rancher, who lost $3700 through the minister's operations.

Lawrence and his wife had been allowed five years in which to repay the $3700, but when they were unable to complete payment in that time a stay of execution was granted until Dec. 30, 1923.

Rev. Lawrence, it developed at his trial, purchased the Welch Grove in East Fifth street, giving as payment Ontario city property, which it later developed belonged to another person. The minister had sold the crop for $3700 before the swindle was detected.

He was convicted in a sensational trial and his wife pleaded guilty, craving the mercy of the court.

The stay of execution was chiefly due to the illness of the minister, who is reported suffering from tuberculosis. The money whose payment has just been completed is said to have been raised largely by Mrs. Lawrence, who turned to writing fiction for the purpose.

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Santa Monica Bank Clearings Show Huge Gain

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

SANTA MONICA, Feb. 1.—The exact amount of bank clearings for last month is the largest in the history of the Clearinghouse Association, according to reports received this morning, when the total of $6,123,737.96, was announced.

Never before has such a total been approached here. December, which was the banner month last year, fell short of the phenomenal clearings this month by more than half a million dollars.

Even the most optimistic banking officials were amazed when President Harry E. Hudson of the clearinghouse made public the total.

The total for the corresponding month last year was $4,372,995.97.

ELKS PLAN PROGRAM

Past Exalted Rulers' Night To Be Held at Beach

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

LONG BEACH, Feb. 1.—An elaborate program is being prepared by Long Beach Elks for Past Exalted Rulers' Night, to be observed next Monday evening in the local club rooms. Past exalted rulers of the Long Beach and other lodges will occupy the chairs.

The chair of honorary exalted ruler will be filled by Dr. T. C. Donnell, while Lynn Parmley will be exalted ruler. Other chairs will be filled as follows: Allen C. Walker, leading knight; Edgar McFadyen, loyal knight; Jesse S. Holton, lecturing knight; Dr. A. H. Speer, secretary; J. C. Ward, treasurer; Edgar F. Davis, esquire; Wilber F. Downs, chaplain; Walter J. Desmond, J. E. Carter, Jr., and Bert Stromsoe, trustees.

Considerable secrecy surrounds the entertainment program that is to follow the business session of the lodge.

GREAT OIL SHEETS ON SURF AT LONG BEACH

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

LONG BEACH, Feb. 1.—Great sheets of oil on the surface of the water in Long Beach harbor and in the surf along the bathing beach is giving city officials deep concern. Rain during the past three days, it is asserted, has brought the surplus oil down from the Signal Hill field and has polluted the ocean front via the county storm drains.

Plans for eliminating the pollution of the bathing beach are now being worked out by representatives of the various oil companies operating on Signal Hill, it was said today. City and county aid will be enlisted in preparing mammoth sump holes for the storing of waste oil from the wells.

POULTRY SHOW AT ANTELOPE VALLEY

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LANCASTER, Feb. 1.—The annual poultry show for the Antelope Valley will be held in the high-school gymnasium, under the auspices of the agricultural department of the high school, from the 1st to the 3rd prox. More than a dozen handsome silver trophies will be awarded as first prizes to the winners in various classes. A great deal of interest and rivalry among the poultry owners is manifest, and the most successful show in years is promised.

TWO TAKEN AT FRESNO AS BANDITS

Police Believe Pair Are Responsible for Robbing of Eleven in Hold-ups

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

FRESNO, Feb. 1.—Two men suspected of being the same, who last night committed a series of hold-ups in which eleven persons were robbed of valuables and cash aggregating several hundred dollars, are being held in jail here on charges of vagrancy pending investigation.

The prisoners answer descriptions furnished by several of those victimized.

When the men were arrested by Police Inspector Jackson L. Broad, each carried an automatic pistol and cartridges. In each hold-up the victims reported that the highwaymen carried automatics.

Five hold-ups were committed in widely separated sections, three of which involved persons in automobiles. The others were attacked on the street.

An unusual one of the hold-ups was that in which Mr. and Mrs. Kimball Spreter of Kerman were involved. They started to drive away in their automobile when the two men rose from the tonneau and ordered them to drive around the corner to a less brightly lighted street, where they were held up.

Silver Peak Guest Ranch now open. For reservations phone Pomona Suburban 28.—[Advertisement.]

LETTUCE IN ARIZONA IS INCREASING

Gain of 1450 Acres is Shown Over Total of Previous Year

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BRAWLEY, Feb. 1. — Arizona's commercial lettuce acreage has increased 1450 over last year's total of 900, states a special report issued here by Charles Sparle, truck crops reported for the United States Bureau of Agricultural Economics.

The report states: "The Salt River Valley acreage is placed at 1250. The earliest movement from the valley for last season was 252 cars, and the movement for this season is estimated at 600 cars.

"The car movement from the Phoenix-Glendale district up to January 24 of the current year was 180, and Mesa shipments are expected to start on the 10th inst. In the Tolteo-Eloy-Pichacho district the acreage has increased to 600, with car movement totaling eighty-one cars up to January 23. Yuma Valley will have about 200 acres ready about the 10th inst."

Rabies-Infected Canine Killed at Paularino

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA ANA, Feb. 1.—Laboratory test returns today showed that a dog killed at Paularino recently was infected with rabies. According to reports the dog was known to have bitten several other dogs in the neighborhood. Most of these, however, have been killed and others as far as known are being confined. More than a half dozen dogs have been killed in Orange recently, but upon examination none of them showed symptoms of rabies. Laws providing for confinement and muzzles are being strictly enforced, according to City Marshal Jemison.

MUSIC TEACHER FREED

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

POMONA, Feb. 1.—Jose M. Hernandez, Mexicali music teacher, who was charged with having a package of stolen clothing from the Hub Clothing store in his possession, was released today by U. E. White, justice of the peace, because of lack of evidence.

NEW WAY TO HUNT WILDCATS

CHASE FELINE UP TREE, TIE DOG BENEATH THEN GET GUN

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

VENTURA, Feb. 1.—Here is one way to hunt wildcats. Run the cat up a tree, tie your dog to the tree and then get a gun. It was successfully practiced by J. Ayala, who has several hundred goats on a ranch in the Ojai country. A wildcat attacked a goat, Ayala heard the outcry and went to investigate. He chased the cat up a tree and tied the dog there on guard. Then he ran a mile through rough country and underbrush for his gun. He killed the cat and will claim the bounty.

PERMIT TO DRILL WELL IS REFUSED

Former Cemetery Property in Long Beach Shall Not be Used, City's View

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

LONG BEACH, Feb. 1.—The identity of persons intent on drilling for oil on a plot of ground that once was part of Sunnyside Cemetery, was brought to light today when formal application for a permit to erect a drilling rig was filed with the city. The request was promptly turned down.

For several weeks, while preparations were going on for drilling within a few hundred feet of scores of graves, and while relatives of persons buried in Sunnyside were vigorously fighting the move, the identity of the oil hunters and the property owner was kept secret. The application filed today shows C. F. Whittier as the applicant. Whittier, it is said, is associated with J. M. Kent of Los Angeles in oil promotions. Both have offices in the I. W. Hellman Building, that city.

Refusal by city authorities to grant a permit is the first step gained by the Long Beach Cemetery Protective Association, an organization composed of relatives of persons buried in the cemetery, and created to fight the proposed drilling operations. The next move is up to the promoters. If a rig is erected it will be in violation of city ordinances and the authorities will immediately take steps to prosecute.

Declaring that drilling for oil on the property is a "desecration of the graves nearby," attorneys, city officials, clergymen and others have been emphatic in their denunciation of the promoters. It is said by those opposed to the exploitation that the property was sold to J. M. Martin, former president of the cemetery association, and that a court order for the sale was obtained on the statement that the site was to be used for a mausoleum. Martin, it is said, lives in Salem, Mass.

Ask about Hotel del Coronado Mardi Gras Ball, Feb. 12. Agency, 511 Spring street. Phone M. 3917.—[Advertisement.]

LONG BEACH DOCTOR SUED FOR DAMAGES

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

LONG BEACH, Feb. 1.—Asking damages for personal injuries suffered in an automobile accident January 16 last, Mrs. Theresa Frailberg of 1045 Daisy avenue, this city, has brought suit against Dr. H. L. Poole, Long Beach physician, for $30,000. Attorney Louis N. Wheaton is named as the plaintiff's attorney.

According to the complaint filed in Superior Court, Mrs. Frailberg was riding to Santa Fe Springs to look at some property when Dr. Poole's machine, in endeavoring to pass her, struck the Frailberg automobile, overturning the latter and injuring the plaintiff.

SHORT CROP SCORES HIGH

Villa Park Citrus Growers' Returns Greater This Year Than Last, Report Shows

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE]

ORANGE, Feb. 1.—A short citrus crop brought a record price, it was revealed here today, when the annual report of H. D. Nichols, secretary of the Villa Park Orchards Association, near here, was submitted to the annual stockholders meeting of the citrus organization.

Shipping 300 cars of fruit, 210 less than last season, the association, despite the abnormal crop caused by the severe freeze last January, returned to the growers a total of $547,998.43. Last year's total returns were $646,614.12, but shipments aggregated 510 cars.

Nichols's report showed that the association received an average of $5.26 per 100 pounds for its packed fruit, as against $3.65 last season. A general crop shortage accounted for higher prices this season, growers stated.

Checks totaling $523,124.05 were mailed to growers at the close of the season, after operating expenses were deducted, the report disclosed. Approximately 200 growers, their wives and families were present when the meeting convened at 9 o'clock this morning. A big banquet was served at noon and the session was expected to close late this afternoon with addresses by prominent citrus men.

The old board of directors, consisting of Willard Smith, W. A. Knuth, J. V. Meehan, J. R. Ragan and D. Blankmeyer, was returned to office at the annual election.

Redlands Post Plans to Build Assembly Hall

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

REDLANDS, Feb. 1.—One hundred ex-service men, members of the Redlands Post of the American Legion, enjoyed a dinner in the social hall of the Mutual Orange Distributors here tonight at which time there was a discussion of the plans for the building of a Legion lodge in the city.

Bruce W. McDaniel, commander, stated that the post has now grown so that a Legion hall is required. The plans proposed call for a rustic building with a large living and lounging-room, kitchen facilities and locker-rooms, and other features needed. Several sites for the proposed building are being considered. The financing can be arranged, it is believed.

Various committees have been appointed.

YOUNGSTER SINGS FOR HOME FOLK

Feature at Canadian Reunion

Master James Osborne

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE]

SANTA MONICA, Feb. 1.—When hundreds of Canadians who are spending the winter amid the enjoyable surroundings of Southern California, gather for their annual picnic Saturday, they will be greeted by one of the most wonderful child artists of their native land in the person of Master James Osborne of Toronto.

Master Osborne, although but 12 years of age, is gifted with one of the most remarkable soprano voices in the world and has gained recognition everywhere he has appeared. Aside from this one feature, the Canadians are assured a full day of real pleasure at this annual frolic to be held at the pleasure pier and Colorado avenue. Provincial registers will be made up, races, games, plenty of music and other diversions provided. A picnic dinner will be a feature for which coffee will be furnished. A large attendance is anticipated.

FULLERTON PLANS PARK

Memorial Plunge and Greek Theater in Shadow of Easter Cross, Proposed Features

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE]

FULLERTON, Feb. 1.—Plans which with their realization will create for Fullerton a park that will be second to none in the United States, and will involve the expenditure of approximately $100,000, were presented to the City Council last night by George Seupelt, City Park Superintendent, and will receive further consideration at the meeting next week.

The drawing prepared by Seupelt calls for the transformation of the thirty-seven acres constituting Hillcrest Park into a spot of beauty that will contain all of the requisits of the modern city park and in addition a large number of innovations that would have the effect of creating a distinctive public playground for Fullerton.

The transformation of the acreage revolves around the creation of a memorial plunge for which plans have already been prepared. To the left of this, facing the main facade of the plunge, it is planned to locate a Greek theater suitable for out-of-door entertainments. The theater would nestle in the shadow of a huge knoll on which there is erected a cross. This cross is now being used for Easter worship and the grounds would be so improved that Fullerton might be made the Mecca annually for thousands of worshippers.

The entire thirty-seven acres, according to the plans, would be criss-crossed with beautiful drives that would wind through the park and be lined at suitable distances with parking places, these drives being so planned that they follow the general contour of the park with the resultant elimination of heavy grades.

Annual Charity Ball, Feb. 2, at Hotel del Coronado.—[Advertisement.]

YOUTHS ARRESTED AS ABDUCTORS OF GIRL

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT IS RETICENT ABOUT ASSERTED ELOPEMENT

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SAN BERNARDINO, Feb. 1.—Accused of abducting pretty Helen Sears, 14-year-old Redlands High School girl, whose disappearance last Friday led to a search by officers throughout Southern California, two Mexican youths, John Luna and Juan De la Rosa, were arrested early today.

Helen was found by Chief of Police Guy George of Colton late Tuesday afternoon wandering aimlessly on the streets. She was reluctant to tell incidents of her elopement, the officer said, but admitted that it was on the girl's story that the accused were arrested.

Pretty and with an air of indifference, Helen was in the detention home today, where her grief-stricken mother visited her. The youths are accused of abducting the girl and keeping her at Dela Rosa's home in Colton. She disappeared late Friday after attending classes at the high school. When her daughter did not return home, Mrs. Sears notified school authorities, who conducted a secret search before appealing to officers.

Students Have Snow Festival at Old Baldy

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CLAREMONT, Feb. 1.—Old Baldy—geographically, Mt. San Antonio—adorned itself with an eighteen-inch diadem of snow yesterday, thereby providing the Pomona College student body sufficient cause for adjourning and marking the inception of an annual winter sport festival, copied after the famous tourney of Dartmouth College.

The faculty joined with 450 students in making the pilgrimage from oranges to icicles. Nearly two-score trucks and automobiles were used in transporting the students to the frozen heights.

The start was made at 8:30 a.m. and the snow frolic lasted until darkness. Some of the students, fortunately equipped, went skiing. Others had sleds. Those lacking in these devices indulged in snow fights. Many of them saw snow at a close-up for the first time.

Mardi Gras Ball, Feb. 12, at Hotel del Coronado. Make reservations direct or at 511 Spring street, or phone Main 3917.—[Advertisement.]

Santa Monica May Seek Two Desert Captives

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

SANTA MONICA, Feb. 1.—Harold Berry and Jack Depew, the two men who were captured single-handed after a desperate revolver duel by Deputy Sheriff S. A. Ragsdale in the heart of the Mojave desert, are believed to be the two who escaped from Motorcycle Officer Rober in this city, January 24, last.

The men escaped from the local officer after he had placed them under arrest following their mad dash from a local gasoline station where they had purchased supplies and for which they refused to pay the clerk.

The police department here has communicated with Riverside, where the two men are being held, asking that pictures be forwarded in an effort to identify the men.

The description in the reports received here closely tallies with that of the pair who escaped from Officer Rober.

WHITTIER SCHOOL PLAY

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

WHITTIER, Feb. 1.—"Penrod," Booth Tarkington's immortal story of youth, has been chosen for the mid-year play at the high school this season. Miss Laura Frankenfield, director of dramatic art and oral expression at the school, will coach the cast.

PITCHFORK PROD IS RESULTFUL

Tines Thrust in Hay Bring Forth Well-Hidden Hold-up Suspect

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PORTERVILLE, Feb. 1.—The sudden thrust of a pitchfork by Deputy Constable Doyle of Sultana into hay he was about to feed his stock, resulted in the arrest of Frank Meadows of Sultana, suspected of complicity in the hold-up of Visalia oil stations Tuesday night.

Constable Doyle was astounded to see the hay heave upward suddenly, as Meadows, with a startled yell, came bursting through and made a dash for freedom.

Oliver Tribble of Sultana was caught by Louis P. Arkle, 160-pound Edison company employee, Tuesday night, his companion escaping. Meadows is thought to have been that companion.

REDLANDS BUS LINE IS DISCUSSED

City and Pacific Electric Officials Make Survey of Proposed Line

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

REDLANDS, Feb. 1.—Preliminary steps toward the establishment of a Pacific Electric bus line to connect the station that the Southern Pacific is to build at the foot of Smiley Heights with the business section of the city were taken today when Pacific Electric officials made a survey of the territory. In the party were P. C. Patton, traveling passenger agent; C. H. Jones, district agent, and G. W. Peachey, district superintendent. They were here for the railroad and were shown about by Mayor A. E. Brock, C. S. Hinckley, C. F. Hock, H. E. Yerxa and A. E. Isham, president and secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, A. Leipsic and others.

The railroad officials did not commit themselves, but went over the proposition thoroughly. A bus line is proposed from the Triangle to the new station out Olive avenue and through the Terracina district, a distance of two miles. Probably an hourly service to the station and a half-hour service to Terracina would be maintained. The bus would be similar to that now used between the Triangle and the University of Redlands. The Terracina district has been served by a street-car line, but this track is being taken up.

Report of the survey will be made to Pacific Electric officials and a decision is expected soon. It is indicated that it will be favorable.

New Building Record Set at Santa Monica

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

SANTA MONICA, Feb. 1.—Building permits issued in the city during the last month established a record, when the grand total of $459,560 was reached. The previous high mark was in July last year, when permits to a total of $418,720 were issued.

In January 1922, the valuations were $130,050. This shows a gain of more than 250 per cent over the corresponding month last year.

Though February is a short month, at the rate applications are increasing, officials predict that it is not improbable that even the record of the past month will be broken.

SEWAGE DISPOSAL DANGER ELIMINATED

SANTA MONICA IMPROVEMENTS PUT SYSTEM IN GOOD CONDITION

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

SANTA MONICA, Feb. 1.—Henry E. Elrod, sewage-disposal expert, who has been acting in an advisory capacity of the Public Works Department, announced this morning that with the installation of the new chlorination plant and screening system, sewage conditions are as good as those of any beach city in California and are improving daily.

The bacilli are rapidly becoming reduced and in a few days will be negligible at the point of outfall and the expert is of the opinion that the system here is far superior to that of Santa Barbara and San Diego.

Mr. Elrod is of the opinion that as far as present conditions are concerned there is no reason for agitation regarding sewage conditions and is satisfied that with the recent installation of the chlorinator and screen system, they will be as good as in any city on the Coast.

CLUB HAS SUPPER

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

HUNTINGTON PARK, Feb. 1.—The first supper to be given in the new Woman's Improvement clubhouse was a chicken supper, which was served by the men of the St. Luke's Lutheran Church last night, when more than 200 were present. Following the supper a social program was given and there was music by a quartet composed of Carl Bell, R. H. Russell, Henry Prigge and Carl E.

Hotel del Coronado handicap cup tournament, Feb. 5 to 9, inclusive. Make reservations early.—[Advertisement.]

ASSERTED BAD CHECK ARTIST HELD

Pomona Suspect Carries Bible; Seized While Buying Railroad Ticket

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

POMONA, Feb. 1.—Confronted with "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" evidence, Pomona police today placed Stanley MacKaye in the City Jail on a charge of passing bad checks. In his handbag when he was arrested by Officer Jack Hoeppell was a large Bible and many books on scriptural subjects. Letters from many women were found in his baggage. Some of them were addressed to Dr. Potter and others to MacKaye. He was arrested by Officer Hoeppell as he was purchasing a ticket preparatory to leaving the city. During his stay he has purchased a house and lot, paint, clothing, life insurance, jewelry and spectacles, giving asserted bad checks in part or full payment.

For your bath Dr. Brady's Cocoa Almond Soap, enjoy the difference.—[Advertisement.]

Damage Asked on Charge of False Arrest

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BAKERSFIELD, Feb. 1.—W. H. Odell, Ford City resident, is asking $10,000 damages in a complaint filed in Superior Court at Department Three, here today. Andrew A. Crosbie, Taft City Marshal, and W. P. Hall and W. F. Pike, deputy marshals, and the American Surety Company of New York, Crosbie's bondsmen, are named as defendants in the suit.

In the complaint, filed through his attorney, George M. Cook, Odell declares that on January 15, last, he was arrested by the Marshal and his deputies, without cause or warrant of arrest, on a "pretended" charge of violating the city gambling ordinance.

The complainant goes on to say that he asked to be taken before a magistrate immediately, but the request was refused, although there were two authorities convenient. According to Odell a complaint was made the next morning against him before City Recorder C. G. Noble, who continues neither to dismiss said charge nor set the same for trial, it is said.

BUILDING HOSPITAL

Excavation Begins On Buildings To Be Put Up in Kern

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BAKERSFIELD, Feb. 1.—Actual excavation work on the new hospital for Kern county which will cost about $450,000 was begun today. A number of local officials accompanied Charles H. Biggar, the architect, and William G. Reed, Los Angeles contractor, to the scene late yesterday to watch the big caterpillar tractor plow up the first dirt.

The excavation for the general administration building, men's ward and service and power buildings will be completed in thirty days, it is said. Robert Paysee is in charge of the work.

SOUTHGATE TRUSTEES ELECT NEW MEMBERS

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

HUNTINGTON PARK, Feb. 1.—The official family of the city of Southgate, which recently voted to incorporate as a sixth-class city, has lost one of its members. J. H. Woods, who was one of the five trustees elected, tendered his resignation at the first meeting held for organizing, but it was refused by the board. The resignation was again tendered and last night the trustees selected F. A. Smith to fill the vacancy.

The trustees have selected committees as follows: Health and saftey, Mrs. Agnes Foster and F. A. Smith; street and sewer, C. A. Shaw and F. A. Smith; public welfare, F. A. Moore and C. A. Shaw; finance, F. A. Smith and F. A. Moore; public legislation, Mrs. Agnes Foster and F. A. Smith; transportation, C. A. Shaw and F. A. Moore.

PLEADS NOT GUILTY TO THEFT CHARGES

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BAKERSFIELD, Feb. 1.—Emmet Heines has been held for Superior Court on two charges of grand larceny preferred by Dist.-Atty. H. E. Schmidt before Justice of the Peace Edward V. Jones of the sixth township. At a preliminary hearing before Judge Jones the defendant pleaded not guilty to a charge of having taken a horse belonging to Lee Rankin, from the Seymour Ranch, Walkers Basin, and also a bridle and two guns valued at $100 from J. W. Binningers Ranch near that place. Bail was fixed at $1000 in each case. Dep. Dist.-Atty. Edward West appeared for the State.

CONTRACTOR AGAIN VICTIM OF THIEVES

SANTA MONICA, Feb. 1.—For the fourth time in less than that many weeks, Lee Bray, contractor, was again the victim of thieves last night.

Materials valued at more than $700 were stolen from a job on Wilshire Boulevard, where Bray had contracted to install the plumbing.

Police have assisted Bray in every way in an attempt to safeguard his property, but have been unable to frustrate the robber.

GALA OPENING AT HUNTINGTON

Pasadena Social Season Has Brilliant Start

Hotel Crowded and Nearly 400 Turned Away

Outdoors and in, Fete a Notable Success

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

PASADENA, Feb. 1. — The formal opening of the social season at the Hotel Huntington tonight attracted a gay throng of pleasure-seekers from the winter colony and neighboring cities. The demand for reservations was so great that almost 400 late comers were turned away.

The function was the first important one held at the hotel since D. M. Linnard resumed its management. To compensate those who were unable to obtain reservations tonight he announced that a series of equally brilliant affairs will be given later this season.

"FAMOUS LOVERS"

A feature of the opening was a parade of famous lovers of history and literature, enacted by pretty girls from the motion-picture studios. The entertainment began in the dining-room during dinner, and continued later in the ballroom and lobby. The grounds around the hotel were lighted with torches of colored fire, and a red spotlight played on a huge column of blowing steam, simulating a pillar of flame. The illumination was visible for miles.

The main dining-room was decorated to suggest the whimsicality and airy grace of Pierrette, who was queen of festivities. While the green and gold of the palms was offset by pink roses and chiffon a very beautiful effect was achieved. As Pierrette, Anna Karenina was repeated encores with her interpretative dancing.

PARTIES MANY

Mrs. H. S. Carscallen, with fourteen, was hostess at one of the larger dinner parties. Mrs. H. C. House likewise had fourteen at her table, and C. A. Wheaton was host to a similar number. R. O. Desmond, Dr. J. F. Parker, Leo MacLaughlin and Dr. F. M. Walker had twelve each. L. H. Wilson of Los Angeles entertained sixteen. George T. Moody, A. T. Martin and George Wallace each had ten.

Among others entertaining at dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Abbott, Gene Bryant, I. Bosworth, George H. Curtis, V. H. Conrad, Dr. E. C. Farmer, W. T. Hancock, Dr. V. Bernard Herbst, E. C. Huyck, T. Hochstader, C. S. Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. S. Johnston, Mrs. O. Keck, T. C. Marlowe, G. A. Northland, W. O. McConnell, W. H. Nichols, W. J. Powers, J. R. Pierce, Mrs. F. F. Prentiss, J. Rosenthal, J. A. Rankin, A. C. Schloss, Mrs. Linda Scott, De Snyder, L. H. Wilson, L. E. Webster, G. W. Wetherby, H. W. Wilde, H. E. Whitney, Dr. L. A. Walker and J. N. Walker.

Dancing every night in Casino and Silver Grill, Hotel del Coronado, Coronado Beach.—[Advertisement.]

OFFICERS INSTALLED

H. F. Cordes New Worthy Master of Upland Masons

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

UPLAND, Feb. 1.—Officers who will serve Upland Lodge, Free and Accepted Masons during the coming year were announced today following the annual installation and banquet of the lodge at the I.O.O.F. Hall. Leslie M. Reuaker, Past Master of Asusa Lodge, was installing officer and the following were inducted into office:

Herman E. Cordes, Worthy Master; Stephen E. Skidmore, Senior Warden; Clarence E. Fossett, Junior Warden; Harry C. Kennedy, Treasurer; Lyman M. Clark, Secretary; Thomas M. Nichols, Chaplain; Wiley W. Mather, Marshal; Morris E. Reynolds, Senior Deacon; Milton F. Huxtable, Junior Deacon; Henry Harms, Senior Steward; Raymond C. Norton, Junior Steward; Dr. Roy Farmer, Tiler.

The installation was attended by visitors from twenty neighboring lodges.

OFFICERS ELECTED BY WHITTIER LEGION

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

WHITTIER, Feb. 1.—At the annual election of officers for the Whittier American Legion Post No. 51, the following named men were chosen: John Bickel, commander; H. F. Mortz, vice-commander; F. F. Slayton, treasurer; Grant Chapman, adjutant. The foregoing officers with the following named veterans will constitute the board of directors: Paul Shafter, Harold E. Cooper and Floyd Hibbs.

The local post has a comfort clubhouse, with banquet room, billiard room, a large plunge and private lockers. The pool, however, is available for use only in the summertime. Permission was granted the Lions' Club of Whittier to use the rooms every Thursday for their weekly business meetings and luncheons.

POLICE ESTABLISH BANDIT'S IDENTITY

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

LONG BEACH, Feb. 1. — The identity of the bandit who assaulted H. C. Taylor, Wednesday, and robbed him of $3000 in diamonds in a daring hold-up at his store, has been established, according to police, from fingerprints. The bandit is said by police to be Jess Taylor, a parole violator, who is wanted in Los Angeles and other Southern California towns for many robberies and hold-ups. A description of the asserted bandit has been forwarded to all police officials in the State.

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Harry Wills and Joe Beckett Now Loom Up as Possible Victims of the Champion

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

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Miss Bancroft in Final Round of Net Tourney

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—The semi-finals in the invitational tennis doubles produced an upset today, when Miss Leslie Bancroft and Mrs. R. E. Cole of the Longwood Cricket Club, Boston, were defeated by the Metropolitan winners, Miss Lillian Scharman and Miss Ceres Baker, 6-4, 2-6, 6-2. the volleying of Miss Baker and the fine overhanders of Miss Scharman accounted for the victory.

Miss Marie Wagner of New York and Mrs. Carl V. Hitchins, Mexican champion, won the other place on the final round, defeating Mrs. S. F. Weaver and Mrs. deForest Candee of New York and Hempstead, 6-0, 6-0. Miss Leslie Bancroft also won her place easily in the final round of the invitation indoor tennis singles today by defeating Miss Marie Wagner, New York, 6-1, 6-1.

MAJOR LEAGUERS ASK TO PLAY POLICE NINE

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—A request from the American and National League baseball tourists, composed of members of the two major leagues, who recently returned from a winter barnstorming tour of the Orient, for permission to play a game against a team composed of members of the San Francisco police department Sunday, was received at the office of Baseball Commissioner Landis today. The commissioner will probably consider the request tomorrow upon his arrival from New York.

HAGEN STARTS WORK

Walter Hagen, British open golf champion, has started work in his first picture, "The Man Who Cheated," being produced by J. Stuart Blackton at the Hollywood studios under the direction of Clarence Bricker.

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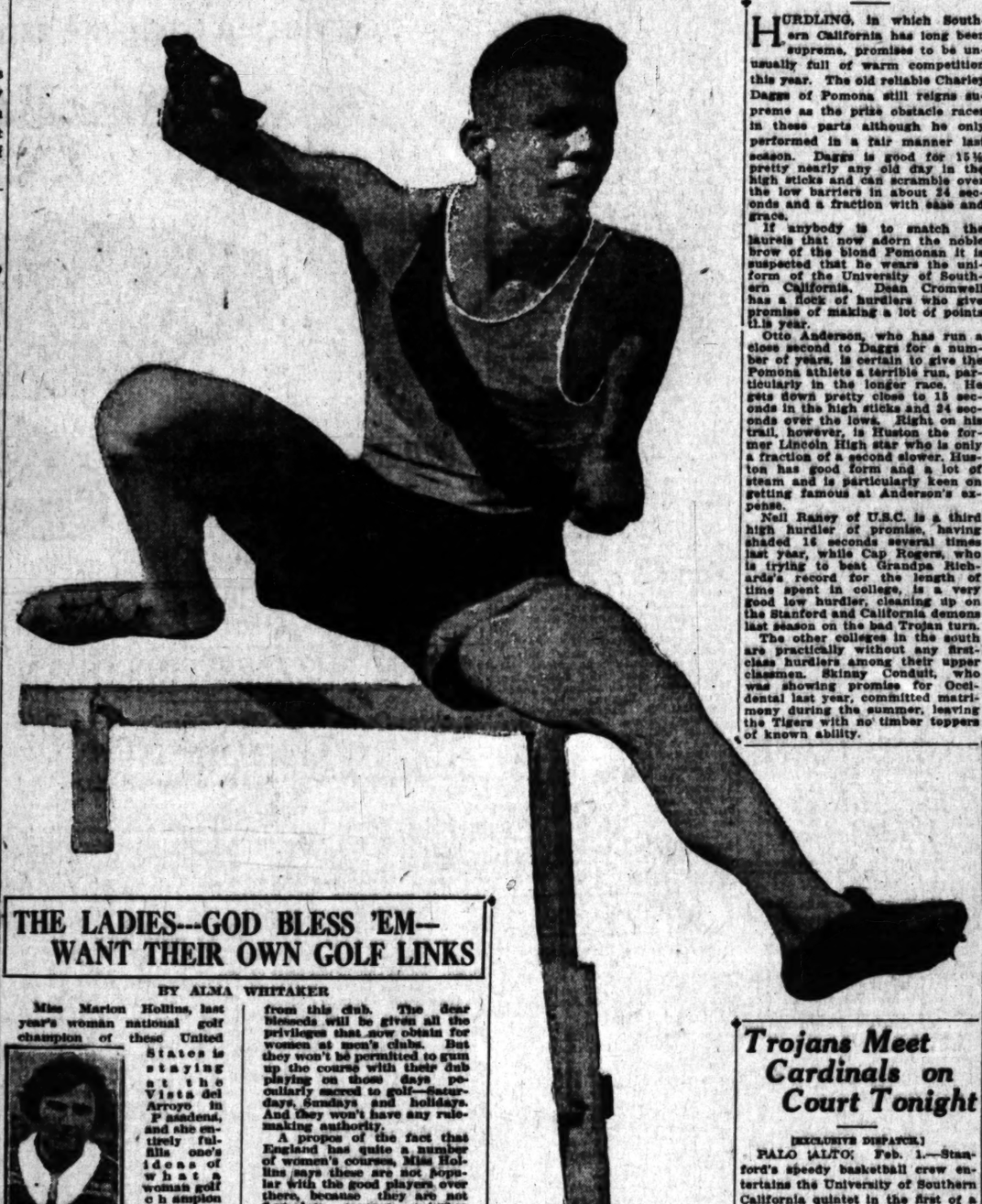
TIMBER TOPPERS SCRAMBLE FOR HONORS

Trojan Hurdlers Out to Remove Laurels From Noble Brow of Charley Daggs



HURDLING, in which Southern California has long been supreme, promises to be unusually full of warm competition this year. The old reliable Charley Daggs of Pomona still reigns supreme as the prize obstacle racer in these parts although he only performed in a fair manner last season. Daggs is good for 15¼ pretty nearly any old day in the high sticks and can scramble over the low barriers in about 24 seconds and a fraction with ease and grace.

If anybody is to snatch the laurels that now adorn the noble brow of the blond Pomonan it is suspected that he wears the uniform of the University of Southern California. Dean Cromwell has a flock of hurdlers who give promise of making a lot of points this year.

Otto Anderson, who has run a close second to Daggs for a number of years, is certain to give the Pomona athlete a terrible run, particularly in the longer race. He gets down pretty close to 15 seconds in the high sticks and 24 seconds over the lows. Right on his trail, however, is Huston the former Lincoln High star who is only a fraction of a second slower. Huston has good form and a lot of steam and is particularly keen on getting famous at Anderson's expense.

Neil Raney of U.S.C. is a third high hurdler of promise, having shaded 16 seconds several times last year, while Cap Rogers, who is trying to beat Grandpa Richards's record for the length of time spent in college, is a very good low hurdler, cleaning up on the Stanford and California demons last season on the bad Trojan turn.

The other colleges in the south are practically without any first-class hurdlers among their upperclassmen. Skinny Conduit, who was showing promise for Occidental last year, committed matrimony during the summer, leaving the Tigers with no timber toppers of known ability.

Scrappy Huston,
Sophomore hurdling star at U.S.C., who promises to make Otto Anderson step lively this season.

THE LADIES---GOD BLESS 'EM— WANT THEIR OWN GOLF LINKS

BY ALMA WHITAKER

Marion Hollins.

Miss Marion Hollins, last year's woman national golf champion of these United States is staying at the Vista del Arroyo in Pasadena, and she entirely fulfils one's ideas of what a woman golf champion should look like. A delightfully healthy specimen, but just bubbling with the joie de vive, with natural rosy cheeks, well-rounded, strong capable young arms, walks with a graceful stride, and wears those essentially well-tailored boyish tweed suits, soft collars and ties, that the English sportswomen favor more often than our own.

She has been in California nearly two months and paid us a fleeting visit last week. Now she is back for another three weeks. Miss Hollins is, however, really here with a mission. I found it easier to be enthusiastic about Miss Hollins than about her mission. It is a perfectly good mission and if it were to materialise in Southern California, instead of way back at Glen Head, Long Island, I could rally to its cause with zest.

Her mission is to sell $1000 shares in the Women's National Golf and Tennis Club for which the land has already been acquired on Long Island. Membership is to be limited to 400 (socially glamorful number, that,) and Miss Hollins says that 306 memberships have already been sold.

The raison d'etre of the club is sweetly reasonable—to provide a championship course especially for women and a club where they will be welcome even on Saturdays, Sundays and holidays, absolutely free from the vexatious regulations that beset women players at those clubs where masculinity doth dominate. Now couldn't one be enthusiastic if, say, our Los Angeles Women's Athletic Club were sponsoring such an innovation! But tripping off to New York for those jolly untrammeled weekends, from California, might prove a trifle exacting. Still, even at that distance, our own Mary Browne is scrumptuously enthusiastic and is lending Miss Hollins the eclat of her support in this mission.

Men will not be excluded from this club. The dear blesseds will be given all the privileges that now obtain for women at men's clubs. But they won't be permitted to gum up the course with their dub playing on those days peculiarly sacred to golf—Saturdays, Sundays and holidays. And they won't have any rule-making authority.

A propos of the fact that England has quite a number of women's courses, Miss Hollins says these are not popular with the good players over there, because they are not first-class courses, catering only to lady-dubs. This Long Island course will be something very superior to the English ones, and yet allow for the slight inferiority of the female of the species as compared with the masculine championship standard.

All of which, as I said before, would sound perfectly thrilling if it were being planned for Southern California. However, Miss Hollins says she has sold one $1000 membership to Mrs. C. W. Clark of Burlingame and expects to do a thriving business down here.

The club has a stylish committee of which Miss Hollins herself is chairman, and made up of such people as Mrs. Howard F. Whitney, wife of the president of the U.S.G.A., Mrs. Thomas Hastings of the Colony Club, and so forth. Who, better than a celebrated golfer's wife, could better know the need of "golf freedom for women"? Miss Hollins can talk enthusiastically about these members of the executive committee, but cannot be persuaded to talk about herself. Which is, perhaps, very proper, but I found my interest flagging. It is so hard to be interested in the charms of people one doesn't know. However, if they are half as nice as Miss Hollins herself, they are probably very desirable.

They would be infinitely nicer if they were founding this club out here, where we can play golf 365 days a year. Over there one has to put away one's golf clubs from December to April—and think how tantalizing for a $1000 member if she had to take her little eastern vacation from here during those sad months?, But Miss Marion Hollins is a charming missionary. And I just loved her bobbed hair.

BRUNER VICTORS

W. E. Bruner defeated R. Bratley, 28 to 17, in the handicap three-cushion carrom billiard match at the Stevens Billiard Parlors last night, the latter player contesting for 20 points.

Trojans Meet Cardinals on Court Tonight

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PALO ALTO, Feb. 1.—Stanford's speedy basketball crew entertains the University of Southern California quintet in the first of a two-game series on the local's court tomorrow night. Both Coaches Les Turner and Andy Kerr have their squads all pepped up for the ensuing encounters and two regular battles are expected.

The Trojans arrive here tomorrow morning with victory to their credit over the California Bears—also a defeat at the hands of the Bruins. U.S.C. will be strengthened for contests with the Cards with the addition of Charley Bone, star running guard, who was unable to start against the Bears because of an injured ankle. Bone will probably start in place of Campbell.

Stanford's team is in perfect condition and will be the same one to take the floor that has won all of its games except one, that with the alumni played early in the season. Following are the line-ups of the two teams:

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Hawkins	C	Janssen
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INSTALLATION TEAM LEADS PIN CIRCUIT

Hitting the pins hard and often the Installation Department bowling team of the Southern California Telephone Bowling League is holding down first place with a percentage of .900. The Commercial department team is second with .833, while third place is tied between the Maintenance and Clerical departments with each club having a percentage of .733.

High game so far this season has been bowled by Al Fisher. His mark is 256. The high three games has been knocked off by Wallace with 688. Belcher holds high average so far with .187.

JIM BARNES ANNEXES ANOTHER GOLF TITLE

CORPUS CHRISTI (Tex.) Feb. 1.—"Long Jim" Barnes, professional from Pelham Manor, N. Y., won the first Corpus Christi open golf tournament today with a 290 score of the seventy-two-hole play and took first money.

Firpo Gets Fine Send-Off From His Home Folks

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

BUENOS AIRES, Feb. 1.—More than a thousand admirers of Luis Angel Firpo gave the Argentine heavyweight pugilist a rousing send-off when he sailed for New York today on the steamer Southern Cross for a fight with "Bill" Brennan and with the expectation of a possible meeting with Jack Dempsey for the world's heavyweight championship. Firpo was sent away with shouts of "the future champion of the world" ringing in his ears.

Carlos Scaglia, an Argentine middleweight, and Jose Agusti, who managed the Firpo-Tracey fight here, also were passengers.

POLO COMBAT IS POSTPONED

Wigmore's Improvement is Good Sign for Locals

Tobin's Wicked Mallet Will Cause Trouble

Polo Season Rapidly Getting Into Its Stride

Soggy grounds and threatened rain yesterday moved the authorities to postpone the polo game game scheduled to be played at Midwick today between Midwick and San Mateo. The game will be played Sunday and the two quartettes will get together again on Tuesday. San Mateo is counted upon to be a strong contender in the Coast championship tournament at Del Monte in April and the appearance of the northern four has been eagerly awaited.

Midwick, present holder of the Coast title, is still crippled by the absence of the crash No. 1, Lafayette Hughes, but John Wigmore, who has been filling in at the position, is rapidly working into the combination and showed flashes of form against Del Monte last week that would be worthy of a high goal player.

San Mateo brings South a fast quartette headed by Cyril Tobin, a star of many seasons, whose ability seems to be not one bit less as the years go by. Capt. E. C. MacAuley plays No. 1, Tobin No. 2 Meyers McCreery No. 3, and Louis Carpenter No. 4 and the quartette has shown splendid teamwork and horsemanship so far. Midwick will again lineup with Wigmore at No. 1, Teddy Miller at No. 2, Arthur Perkins at No. 3 and the old reliable and never failing Carleton Burke playing back.

The California polo season is well under way with the clubs playing a round robin schedule of matches on the fields of each club every week-end. There is to be only one actual tournament this year—the first annual Pacific Coast championship at Del Monte from March 28 to April 15. The teams are "prepping" for the title event which will have almost daily play for the cups and trophies over a period of three weeks.

TOILER COURT BATTLE SCENE

Lincoln Quintet Takes on Pasadena Cagemen

Mechanic-Pioneer Contest in Trojan Pavilion

Franklin Five Entertains Jackrabbit Squad

Hollywood and Manual Arts meet this afternoon in the Toilers' gym in the feature game of the City Basketball League's fourth round of play. The winner of today's tilt will be leading the circuit and will be figured to have the best chance of winning the 1923 championship. Lincoln meets Pasadena on the Bulldogs' court. Poly and Los Angeles High clash in their annual grudge battle at the U.S.C. pavilion and Long Beach journeys to Franklin High to tackle the Kitefliyers in the other scraps on for today's program.

Coaches Fred Johnson and Motts Blair have trained their quintets hard and long in preparation for the battle between the Foothillers and Toilers, and each send their teams on the floor with the idea of "victory or bust." Manual is depending upon the goal tossing ability of Max Miller, Riley, Prigge and Redfern and Hood's effective guarding. Hollywood's hopes are based upon the playing of Minkin, Wolfkuhler, Turner, Armstrong and Newhouse. The consensus of local hoop followers points toward a Toiler victory, but there are plenty who figure the Movie Lads will come out on top.

Lincoln is favored to hand the Pasadena Bulldogs their fourth straight trimmin, although rumors continue to float around whispering that the Railsplitters will take the floor in a crippled condition. Los Angeles is favored by the critics to clean up on the Polytechnic hopes in the annual battle for blood between the two institutions. However, with McMahon at forward instead of guard, the Mechanics seem to have struck a more powerful combination. In a

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A stiff right upper-cut delivered by an opponent in a preliminary bout decided for Howard Langford that he had better stick to the stage and pass up his ambitions for the crown now worn by Jack Dempsey.

Howard Langford, who is coming to the Orpheum next week with Ina Frederick, in their one-act comedy sketch, "Shopping," tells of his experiences in the squared ring in the days when he was touring the Pacific Coast with a stock company.

"I was only playing minor roles in those days, and at times found it difficult to stretch the pay envelope from week to week. Being a fairly handy kid with my fists I used to do some boxing whenever the opportunity presented itself. My ring nom de plume was "Kid" Langford and for a short time I met with success.

"The company was having one of its dull weeks, so I applied at the local fight promoter's office for a chance to go on at his weekly show and was signed to meet some young local husky in one of the preliminary bouts.

"Things were moving rather lively when I forgot to duck, or I ducked (I don't remember which) into a vicious right-hand swing. That is all. When I came up for air my seconds were throwing the contents of the bucket over me and holding smelling salts to my nostrils. I decided to give up the ring and stick to the stage."

From the success he has met on the legitimate and vaudeville stages of this country and Europe the scintillating comedian now has no regrets for throwing up the sponge, or having it thrown up for him.

SIX CARS TAKEN DURING THE DAY

The following cars were taken from the streets of Los Angeles yesterday:

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Any one seeing any of the following cars will please notify the police department or the auto theft bureau of the Automobile Club of Southern California.

LARRY SEMON FIVE WINS ANOTHER TILT

The Larry Semon Athletic Club basketball five in the "B" division of the local A. A. U. League, added another victory to its string Wednesday night at the Horsley Studios by trouncing the Y. M. H. A. quintet, 33 to 24, after a fast game. Gold, Gerthidde and Kivitky were the stars of the game. The score at half time was 15 to 14, in favor of the Semon squad.

OKLAHOMA NINE HAS BIG SPURT

Six Consecutive Contests Won by Gob Crew

High-Priced Stars Asked to Play Here

White Kings Meet Balboa Park Squadron

BY JOE BUSH

One of the features of the past six weeks of play in the Greater Southern California Baseball Association has been the remarkable winning streak of the U.S.S. Oklahoma ball club, which has captured six consecutive tilts. The Gobs have been playing a wonderful brand of ball and have defeated some of the best squads in the circuit.

Jester, who twirls for the Oklahoma squad, has been in a big measure responsible for his team's success as he has been pitching steady ball every time out. Jester also swats the ball with a vengeance, Chenoweth and Moore also have been soaking the apple around with careless abandon.

Los Angeles fans may yet get one more peek at Willie Kamm and Jimmy O'Connell, former San Francisco Seals, who were sold to the big leagues for fabulous prices, if present plans of Joe Pirrone, secretary of the Greater Southern California Baseball Association, go through. Pirrone wired the two stars asking them to play on his team against the Los Angeles White Sox in a two-game series between the two clubs on the 10th and 11th insts.

Pirrone and the manager of the White Sox had a run in lately so Pirrone says he is going to get together a ball club that will trim the pants off of the colored nine.

The White Kings will journey to San Diego next Sunday to take on the fast Balboa Park Club of that city in a battle that is expected to be a hot one. White King officials will charter a special car to take a group of their employees down to see the game and the San Diego branch of the White King company will also turn out. This means that the locals will have a big crowd of rooters. Gordon Jones, Oakland pitcher, has been added to the White King's staff.

Ping Bodie's All-Stars will once more meet the Los Angeles White Sox in a two-game series this coming Saturday and Sunday. Schorr, Thurston and Schneider will be the pitchers for Bodie's team, while Whalen will do the receiving. Curry and Mendes will do the mound work for the colored boys. The famous colored band will be out at the park Sunday.

Paul Zuelch, first sacker for the Kant-Skore Pistons, has been showing up in fine style around the initial bag. He also has been hitting the agate to all parts of the lot.

Two husky rookies, Mike File, 190-pound right-hand pitcher, and Bud Anderson, 195-pound outfielder, have been signed to Angel contracts by Scout Joe Pirrone. Both are expected to make good.

GETTING READY FOR BIG MEET

Runners Train Hard for Indoor Clashes

Keen Race is Expected for Meritorious Prize

Struggles to Come Off in Brooklyn Armory

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—A keen struggle is expected for the Meritorious trophy, which will be offered at the annual indoor athletic meet of the Wilco A.A., in the Thirteenth Regiment Armory, Brooklyn, on February 10, to the athlete whose performance in the opinion of a jury of three qualified judges is adjudged the best in the series of events planned. This trophy, offered last year for the first time, was won by Joie W. Ray, Illinois A.C. middle distance star and national champion, who was voted the star of the meet by Lawson Robertson, University of Pennsylvania track coach; Secretary Fred W. Rubien of the Amateur Athletic Union and James E. (Ted) Meredith, former Red and Blue athlete. It was at the Wilco games last year that Ray established a world's record of 8:31 2-5 for the 3000-meter run.

TO BE FEATURE

Ray is again entered for the 3000-meter run, which will be a feature of the coming meet. But the Chicago runner is promised plenty of opposition by the runners who will be selected to face him. Among them is Walter Higgins, Columbia's crack distancer, who is expected to extend Ray to the limit in the bid for victory. Abel Kiviat, one of the greatest runners in the country when he was competing as a member of the Irish-American A.C. track squad, is scheduled to make a "comeback" at the coming meet and is regarded as a likely candidate for the trophy award.

Allan Woodring, Syracuse sprinter; J. A. LeConey, intercollegiate champion; Loren Murchison of Newark and Bob McAllister, entered in the sprint feature, and Willie Plant, Morningside A.C. walking star, who is to compete in a 3000-meter walk, are others who are expected to contribute performances which will qualify them for consideration when the trophy is awarded.

HIS COMEBACK

Kiviat is expected to make the Metropolitan A.A.U. half-mile run championship the occasion for his "comeback instead of the 3000-meter run, as he originally intended. This event has attracted a representative field of local middle distancers. Among those expected to strive for the title are Sid Leslie, national 600-yard champion; Mike Devaney, national steeplechase champion; W. Thompson, local mile titleholder; Jack Sellers, local half-mile champion; Joe Higgins, for Holy Cross middle distance star; Bob Crawford, former Lafayette College runner; William Sullivan, Paulist A.C.; Walter Koppisch, Columbia University; R. L. Johnston, Princeton; Charles Beagan, St. Anselm's A.C.; Alex Brewster, Bloomfield Lyceum; Eliot Balestier, Knights of St. Antony, and George Nolan, Al Hulsenback and Al Dolder of the New York A.C.

The handicap A.A.U. events have attracted large fields. These events include a 100-yard dash, 440-yard run, one-mile run and two-mile novice race.

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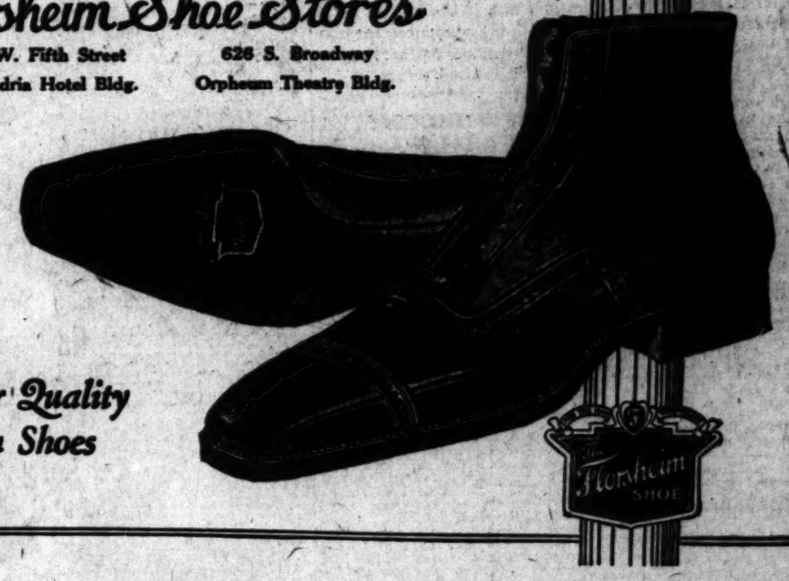

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Cubs Tackle Whittier on Home Grounds

Caddy Works's casaba chasers will take on the Whittier College basketball crew this evening in the fourth round of the conference row. The brawl will take place at the Southern Branch gymnasium.

It is not expected that the Cubs will experience much trouble with the Post quintet. The latter has not appeared to be a very strong outfit, and have as yet failed to annex a contest.

However, it is entirely possible that the Quakers may show a complete reversal of form and hand the Bruins a surprise.

The Cubs have recovered from the setback they received Monday at the hands of their big brothers from Berkeley, and are in excellent shape for the battle. Hoppenyan and Gibbs have been showing some fine stuff in hitting the basket recently, and Bresee, Beason and Goertz are going as great as ever.

TIJUANA RESULTS

First race, five and one-half furlongs—Cannoe (Pond.) won; The Vengeance (D. Hurt,) second; Charlotte Smith (Flynn,) third. Time 1:11 2-5.

Second race, one mile and seventy yards—Cafeteria (Wilson,) won; Olympiad (Rose,) second; Benecia (Jarrell,) third. Time, 1:53 1-5.

Third race, mile and seventy yards—Plantagenet (Howard,) won; Cabin Creek (Rose,) second; Redman (Dugan,) third. Time, 1:54.

Fourth race, five furlongs—Carson (M. Anderson,) won; Cloudy Kay (Wilson,) second; Don Jose (D. Hurt,) third. Time 1:05 2-5.

Fifth race, five furlongs—Yukon (Dugan,) won; Flow Sted (Sterner,) second; Billy Joe (Moller,) third. Time 1:04 1-5.

Sixth race, mile and seventy yards—Billhead (Fritzell,) won; Pass Flag (Cleary,) second; Barriskane (Dean,) third. Time, 1:51 3-5.

Seventh race, six furlongs—Insurgance (Rose,) won; Joan, Jr. (Dugan,) second; Dahlmar (Flynn, third. Time, 1:17 4-5.

Eighth race, five furlongs—Bill Blackwell (Stevens,) won; Carmatter (Fritzell,) second; Black Prince (Rose,) third. Time 1:02.

TOILERS LOSE TWO SPEEDY ATHLETES

Max Miller, All-City forward last year and Manual Arts basketball star this season, and Irving Thomas, holder of the city meet 880-yard run record and winner of the half-mile at the State meet last year, will be lost to the Toilers after tomorrow, graduation ending their brilliant prep careers. Miller has helped the Manual casaba team to win its first three league games and play with the Toilers against Hollywood in the Artesian gym today. Miller is leading in points scored for the season.

CHINESE BALL NINE LEADS CITY LEAGUE

The Los Angeles Chinese ball club in the Greater Southern California Baseball Association is once more leading the City League race after a week in second place. The Chinese team has lost but two games so far in the race and all the players on the team are now playing a speedy brand of ball.

FIGHT GOSSIP

BY WALTER ECKERSALL

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—Joe Jawson, the Milwaukee lightweight, who will clash with Sailor Freedman of the West Side in the main event at East Chicago on Monday night, gave a pleasing exhibition of his wares today at the Arcade Gymnasium.

Freedman also worked at the Arcade before Jawson arrived, and boxed with his sparring partners. He was on the road in the morning and is anxious to give a great exhibition of his ability. It will be the first time Sailor has boxed in the vicinity of Chicago in two years.

Charley White, local lightweight, matched to meet Rocky Kansas in New York on February 9, settled down to strenuous training today.

Tommy Walsh, manager of Joe Burman, has closed with Frank Mulkern, Milwaukee promoter, for Joe to meet a worthy opponent on February 19. Manager Walsh asserted he hopes the promoter will get Joe Lynch, bantam champion.

Jock Malone, Minneapolis middleweight, came down from St Paul and started light training today for a number of pending matches.

Ever Hammer, another of Chicago's lightweights, is hard at work for his ten-round bout with Sid Barbarian at Detroit on February 12.

TOILER COURT BATTLE SCENE

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recent practice tilt the Foly team smothered Jefferson, 41 to 10, while Montebello fell before the Mechanics, 56 to 11. Franklin figures to beat Long Beach as the Jackrabbits will be without their two star forwards, Price and Anderson, who have graduated. Aside from the unlimited battles, there will be a quartet of lightweight tilts and much interest is centered around these scraps.

JAPANESE NET STAR ARRIVES IN AMERICA

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 1.—S. Kashio, a Japanese tennis star, is here today, having arrived on a trans-Pacific steamer with his wife. He plans to depart for New York Sunday but before doing so he will give an exhibition on the courts of the California Tennis Club.

Kashio said Ihiya Kumagae would return to the United States in April and would be accompanied by one or two of the most promising younger players in Japan.

JAWN PUZZLES FREEDMAN

Squelches Owner With His Authority; Matty Taken Off First; Muggsy Sweet on Davis

"MY THIRTY YEARS IN BASEBALL"

Article XXV

BY JOHN J. McGRAW

Manager of New York Giants, World's Baseball Champions, 1921-1922

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When I took charge of the Giants there were twenty-three players on the pay roll. Their contracts were turned over to me by Mr. Freedman. The club at that time was in last place by fourteen games—a good, safe margin. The attendance was almost nothing.

When I first walked on the field to see my team I found Christy Mathewson playing first base.

"Mr. Freedman," I said to the owner, "with a club in last place by fourteen games in the middle of the season, there is little chance of us doing much this year. We've got to build for next season. I will center on that and do what we can with what we've got."

In front of me I had a list of the twenty-three players.

"You can begin by releasing these," I said, and I marked out nine names with one stroke of the pencil.

"But you can't do that," he said in astonishment, "those players cost me a lot of money. Those nine men represent nearly $14,000."

"Well, what of it?" I retorted. "The club couldn't be any worse off without them. Their salaries for the rest of the season would amount to more than that. We will really be saving money."

"But"——

IS MANAGER

"Don't forget, Mr. Freedman, I am the manager of this club, I will decide who I want. You can have those players if you want them for your own amusement, but I won't have them on the club."

He threw up his hands in a gesture of helplessness.

"What will you do for others?" he asked.

"I'm going to get 'Kid' Eiberfeld, 'Fielder' Jones, Ed Delehanty, George Davis"——

"Stop right there!" he ordered. "I won't have George Davis on my club. He's been here and I don't like him. I wouldn't give him thirty-five hundred dollars a year. I won't have him."

"But Im going to have him, Mr. Freedman. He's a great player and I need him. I am the manager, you know."

"All right, I can do nothing," he finally said. "Go ahead."

TAKES MATTY OFF

In the meantime I took Matty off first base and put McGann there. We knew Matty to be a great pitcher and did everything to encourage him.

Soon we had a fighting spirit in the club and, though we ended the season last, we managed to win half of our remaining games.

That fall I set about in earnest to put together the club I wanted. I got Mike Donlin from Cincinnati; George Browne, who had been released by Philadelphia and I traded Charley Babb and Jack Cronin to Brooklyn for Bill Dahlen. That, by the way, I consider the most successful deal that I ever made. It gave me just what I wanted—a great defensive shortstop. There were mighty few better than Dahlen. I also got Jack Warner from Boston. Remember, I already had McGann, Mertes and Billy Gilbert. On the New York club I had inherited Mathewson and Bowerman.

To prevent confusion let me explain that Bresnahan was a pitcher. Mathewson, McGinnity and Bresnahan as the leaders. I did not get Wiltse and Ames until some time later, when I also bought Arthur Devlin, a youngster from Newark.

OUT WITH RUSH

Before we got well under way several minor changes were made. At any rate we started out with a rush and ended the season in second place. The attendance had begun to increase in leaps and bounds. If I do say it myself New York was again on the baseball map.

In the meantime Freedman had sold out his interests to John T. Brush, owner of the Cincinnati club.

There has been much talk about why Freedman got out of baseball. Personally, I believe my signing of George Davis for that salary and putting on other players as I pleased started him. He thought baseball was out of his hands; that he was helpless in the hands of a manager who had such authority in a four-year contract. Often I have talked with him about that during his latter years and he has laughingly agreed that I had the dope about right.

John T. Brush, though, observing my start thought that I was

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GENE AND JOCK IN MIXED TILT

Beverly Hills Club Gets Big Golf Program

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Mrs. Letts and Miss Hollins Will Tee Off

BY BOB LOCKE

Long Beach is terribly sore at the weather man. Yesterday Gene Sarazen and Jock Hutchison were to give their public golf lesson at the Virginia Country Club, but due to bad weather conditions the affair was canceled and thus a large number of the beachers are forced to play their same old golf until Gene finds time to drop down again.

Today, however, the two famous pros will put on one of the classiest shows that Los Angeles and points south have ever seen. At the Los Angeles Country Club Gene Sarazen and Miss Marion Hollins will play Jock Hutchison and Mrs. C. F. Letts in an eighteen-hole match.

Mrs. Letts, conqueror of Mrs. Cecil Leitch of English fame, and Miss Hollins, are two of the best women golfers in the country. Both women play a strong, steady game and make an even match as partners for Gene and Jock.

GENE IS FAVORITE

If Gene Sarazen plays the kind of golf he has been lately, he and Miss Hollins ought to get first honors on a silver platter. Jock, however, is confident that he and Mrs. Letts are the stronger team and will have little trouble in annexing first place.

The Los Angeles Country Club course is in fine condition and if the weather man will postpone "his stuff" for about twenty-four hours a wonderful exhibition will be seen by a large number of the golf bugs of Los Angeles.

Following their match today the Big Two will leave for the south to give an exhibition at the Coronado Country Club and another at Chula Vista. Both these matches are awaited with a lot of interest by the southern enthusiasts and a big crowd is ready to see Gene and Jock perform.

Monday they return to Los Angeles and from here they will make their weary way to parts unknown——unless——

Walter Hagen, British open champion, now is in town and is feeling in a fighting mood after copping top honors at San Antonio. Hagen is more than anxious to meet Sarazen in an unofficial championship match and also is anxious that the match be played in or near Los Angeles.

Ray McCarthy, manager of Sarazen and Hutchison, has no dates lined up for next week and is doing all in his power to bring the two champions together some day during this time. So, if all turns out as it should, the golfers of Los Angeles will have dished out to them one of the most sensational matches ever played.

NEW JAP NET DEMON FOUND

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Zenzo Shimidzu, Japanese Davis cup player, who resides in this city, today reported the achievement of another Japanese player who is expected to demonstrate his right to recognition in Davis cup matches. Shimidzu received a cablegram which announced that S. Okamato had just won the singles, doubles and mixed doubles in the Bengal championship at Calcutta.

BOXING NOTES

With new boys stepping into town every day after bouts, it looks like plenty of entertainment should be furnished the local fans.

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Johnny Reisler, the New York featherweight, who recently arrived here, started training yesterday at McFarland's gym. Reisler is here with his manager, I. Kessler, and may be signed up to box Danny Nunes or Bud Ridley at Vernon. Reisler is a good boy and should give either Ridley or Nunes plenty of trouble.

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The Portland Boxing Commission suspended Jimmy Sacco and Frankie Britt the other night for stalling. Local fans wonder Sacco ever gets a bout anywhere with his style of fighting. He had quite a number of starts around here, but put up only one good fight.

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George Lavigne, Los Angeles' own product, will start again soon. Lavigne is one of the classiest welters on the Coast and when he is right, it takes a very good boy to beat him. Lavigne wants to box Jimmy Duffy.

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Joe Burns, the San Francisco 122-pounder, writes that he recently boxed in Sacramento winning in one round. Burns is working hard in the north, hoping to get in good form before coming to Los Angeles after bouts. Burns wants to make the south his home.

POLY FIVE WINS TWO CASABA TILTS IN DAY

Poly High's speedy little 110-pound basketball squad added two more wins to a rapidly increasing string of victories yesterday afternoon on their own court, when they trimmed the L.A. High flea-weights, 17 to 13, and, after a five-minute rest between games, took the floor again and defeated the Loyola College whippets, 7 to 2. Babcock, Trenholme, Iwamisu and Janack starred. The line-ups:

POLYTECHNIC (17.)	G.	FT.	F.
Babcock,f	0	1	1
Trenholme,f	3	0	0
Iwamisu,f	1	0	0
Hanson,c	3	1	0
Davis,g	0	0	0
Hart,g	0	0	0
Berry,g	0	0	0
Crippen,g	1	0	1
Layman,g	0	0	0
Totals	8	1	6

L. A. HIGH (13.)	G.	FT.	F.
Fuad,f	3	1	3
Mitchell,f	0	0	0
Burk,c	0	0	0
Orloff,g	0	0	0
Cushing,g	0	0	0
Dennis,g	0	0	0
Totals	4	5	5

SCORE BY HALVES

			Tot.
Polytechnic	12	5	17
L. A. High	1	12	13

Referee—Schlank.

POLYTECHNIC (7.)	G.	FT.	F.
Babcock,f	0	0	0
Trenholme,f	1	0	0
Trenholme,f	0	0	0
Davis,g	0	0	0
Hart,g	0	0	0
Berry,g	0	1	1
Totals	0	1	1

LOYOLA (2)	G.	FT.	F.
Sullivan,f	0	0	0
Sherwood,f	0	0	0
D. Sullivan,c	0	0	0
Wood,g	0	0	0
Wood,g	1	0	0
Totals	1	0	0

SCORE BY HALVES

			Tot.
Loyola	1	1	2
Polytechnic	3	4	7

Referee—Parker.

LINCOLN STARS PLAY FINAL GAME TODAY

Carrol (Pete) Thompson and Jimmy McCue, Lincoln High star athletes will play their last game for their Alma Mater this afternoon, when the Railsplitter basketball squad tackles Pasadena on the Bulldogs' court. Thompson has played on the football, basketball and baseball teams during his last three years at Lincoln. McCue also starred in these same sports. Their graduation will weaken the Railsplitter quintet severely as they have been the big point-getters.

SHOEMAKER FIRST IN CUE CONTESTS

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Continuing his undefeated record in the national amateur pocket billiards championship, J. Howard Shoemaker, New York, won the sixth game of the series last night, defeating W. J. Harworth, Cleveland, 125 to 73.

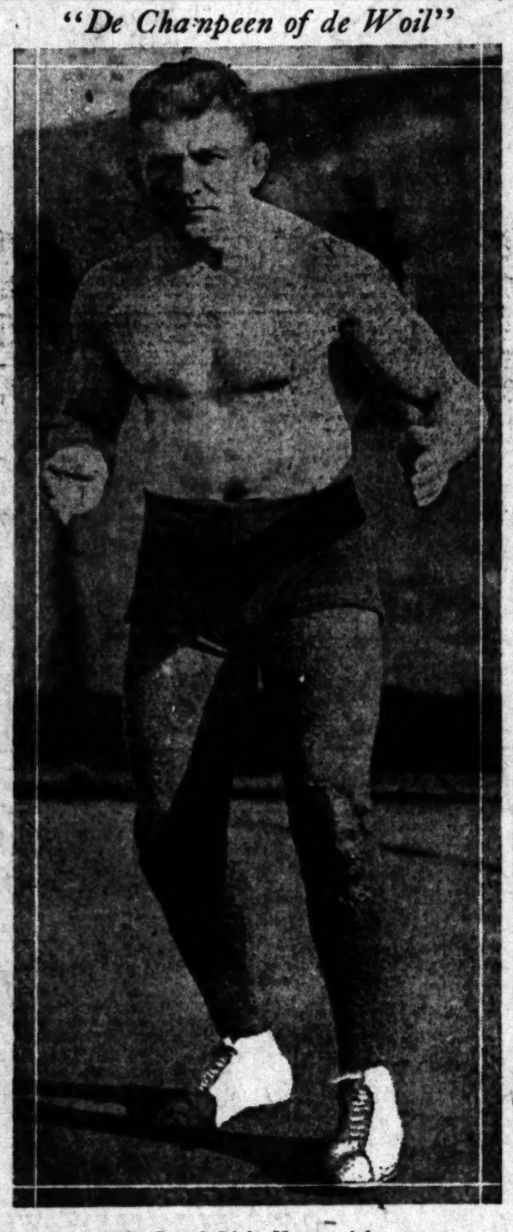
Shoemaker finished in fifteen frames without a scratch on his string, making a high run of twenty-four.

UNCAS FIRST BOAT ENTERED IN EVENT

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA BARBARA, Feb. 1.—The auxiliary schooner yacht Uncas, owned by Dr. P. H. L. Wilson and John Bowers of Los Angeles, is the first vessel to be entered in the Santa Barbara-Honolulu yacht race which will be held this summer. The entry blank of the Uncas was received by Commodore A. R. Pedder of the Santa Barbara Yacht Club yesterday.

"De Champeen of de Woil"



Ad Santel, Light Heavyweight

This is the powerful looking personage who will defend his wrestling title Monday night against George Nelson. Middleweight Champion Johnny Meyers on the same card will tangle with Sam Sandow of Long Beach.

M'GRAW PUZZLES FREEDMAN

(Continued from Second Page)

exactly right. Immediately he began negotiations for the club. I acted as the emissary between him and Freedman's home out in the country. I must have kept that road hot going back and forth.

Finally the deal was consummated and John T. Brush became the owner of the New York Giants. He was heart and soul with me in my plan to build up a club. He didn't care what players I bought or what I paid for them as long as my judgment dictated their purchase. Right here I would like to say that not once from then until his death did Mr. Brush ever interfere with me in the slightest way. He gave me the reins and told me to go just as far as I liked.

IN LOOSE WAY

I have related these incidents of the early days in New York in a rather scattering way. I have made no attempt to pick up the various moves in chronological order. Their places in the construction of the club was of more importance than the dates. I have, therefore, dealt with them that way.

During these interesting days the Baltimore club, as was expected, dropped out of the American League and New York took its place. Then began the rivalry—the competition—in New York that eventually turned out a great thing for the game.

The biggest move we made in the latter part of 1902 and in 1903 was rehabilitating Mathewson as a pitcher. The way he developed through encouragement was little short of amazing. With a club of spirit behind him he burst in bloom overnight it seemed.

Another chapter is required to point out the early defects and quick growth of Mathewson.

SALVADORE VIES WITH SEA BOXER

Champion Tackles Ashmore in Main Event at Legion Arena Tonight

Phil Salvadore, holder of the Pacific Coast lightweight and welter championships, and also regarded as one of the foremost mitt artists in the country, does not seem to be greatly concerned over the outcome of his fight with Sailor Ashmore in the main event at the American Legion Hollywood arena tonight.

Salvadore holds decisions over Jack Josephs and Joe Benjamin, but he should find in the sailor a tough opponent whose style is quite different than any he has battled of late. Ashmore has lost but one battle in twenty starts at the Legion arena and is prepared to put up a stiff fight against the title-holder tonight.

Tod Morgan, who has whipped every featherweight of importance on the Coast, is stacked up against Jimmy Hackley in the semi-windup. Hackley is the holder of the fleet featherweight title, and is expected to slow up the Morgan party.

The special event will bring together two high-class boxers in Frankie Malone and Jackie Norman. The former held the featherweight championship of the Coast for some time, while the latter is regarded as one of the most dangerous men in the business.

Classy Jimmy Dunning meets Kid Williams, a 116 pounds, John Kenney will square off with Sailor Martinez, at 133 pounds, Benny Demske will tackle Hank Gattan at 155 pounds. Sailor Stiers and George Sirey furnish the curtain-raiser at 120 pounds. George Blake will referee.

HIGH-PRICED GIANTS SIGN 1923 CONTRACTS

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Jack Bentley, southpaw pitching star and home-run hitter, purchased for $75,000 by the New York Giants from Baltimore, today accepted salary terms with the world's champions for 1923, the Giants announced. His signed contract is expected in a few days.

The signed contracts of four other players reached the Giants today, including that of Centerfielder Jimmy O'Connel, another $75,000 star, acquired from San Francisco.

YANKS RELEASE TWO AND MAIL CONTRACTS

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—The New York Yankees today released two players to Southern Association clubs.

Contracts were mailed by the Yankees to twenty-eight players, including all of last year's regulars except Babe Ruth and Carl Mays, both of whom have held-over contracts for 1923.

BATTLING NELSON IN SCRAP WITH TURNER

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

STOCKTON, Feb. 1.—Battling Nelson, former lightweight champion of the world, will meet Rufe Turner, who was a prominent negro lightweight on the Pacific Coast many years ago, in a short exhibition match here tonight. Turner claims he challenged Nelson several times when both of them were in their heyday but the match was never made.

WOMEN BOWLERS IN BIG MATCH TONIGHT

Some good bowling scores should be made tonight at the Angelus alleys, when a special match between two three-player women teams is put on. Mrs. L. D. Meador, former Pacific Coast woman champion, will captain one team, while Mrs. Robert Warner will skipper the other team.

TWO CHAMPS IN BIG MAT CARD

Double Main Events Slated for Monday Night

Philharmonic Auditorium Scene of Battles

Ad Santel Tackles Tough Salt Lake Wrestler

Los Angeles wrestling fans will be treated to the sight of two champs appearing in a double main event next Monday night when Ad Santel, world's light heavyweight champ, meets George Nelson, and Johnny Meyers, world's 158-pound champion, takes on Sam Sandow at the Philharmonic Auditorium.

Both bouts are expected to bristle with action and, according to the advance seat sale, a packed house is assured to take in the best grappling card ever put on in Los Angeles. All four principals are in tip-top condition and feel certain of victory.

Santel has won all of his bouts here in a rather convincing style and has had a hard time finding opponents. After searching around here without success Promoter Kenneth Dix hit upon the plan of importing some mat men capable of giving the champ a tough battle. George Nelson, 210-pounder, who has met all the best wrestlers in the world, was the man chosen. Nelson has strength, speed and a variety of holds, so should give Santel the toughest kind of a match. The two will meet be two falls out of three with a two-hour time limit.

Meyers's contest with Sandow will mark his first appearance in Los Angeles since he so spectacularly defeated Walter Miller in the match for the middleweight title. Meyers has cleaned up everything in the East and Middle West and will bring with him a new hold which he has made famous. The cognomen of the new grip is the "stopper hold," so called because it always stops his opponents. Sandow claims he can show Meyers something and that he has ordered calling cards with the words "middleweight champion" after his name.

Society is expected to attend the matches in a body and many of the local "400" have made reservations for seats.

NET MEN TALK OF CHANGES

International Questions to be Discussed When Tennis Officials Get Together

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Consideration of questions of international importance will occupy the United States Lawn Tennis Association at its annual meeting here next Saturday.

The new regulations for Davis cup play and a new international playing code, adopted at a conference of fourteen nations in London last December, will be discussed while consideration will be given to the question of joining the International Tennis Federation.

Among the subjects to be considered will be the reduction of the entry list for the national singles championship to sixty-four players instead of approximately 128 as in recent seasons.

Resolutions will be offered to revive the national interscholastic championships; to change the eligibility age limit for the boys' and junior championships and the eligibility age limit for the veterans' tournament.

Dwight F. Davis of St. Louis, donor of the international team trophy bearing his name, is slated for election as president to succeed Julius S. Myrick of New York. Other officers selected by the nominating committee are: Vice-President, George W. Wightman, Boston; secretary, Paul B. Williams of Utica, N. Y.; treasurer, Louis B. Dailey, East Orange, N. J.

Slow motion pictures showing in action William M. Johnston of San Francisco, former national singles champion, and Gerald L. Patterson, captain of the 1923 Australian Davis cup team, will be shown at the annual banquet.

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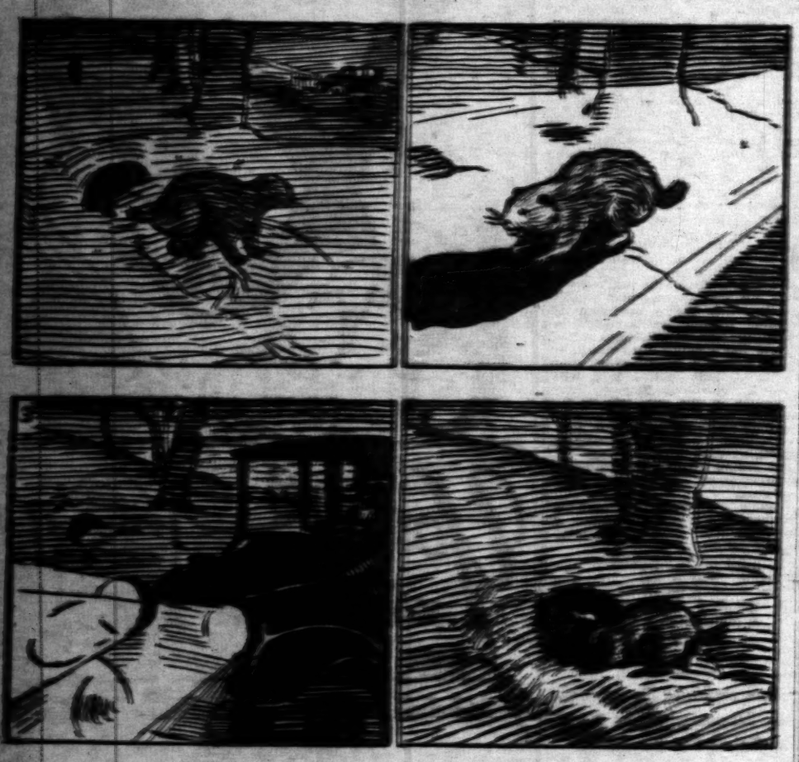

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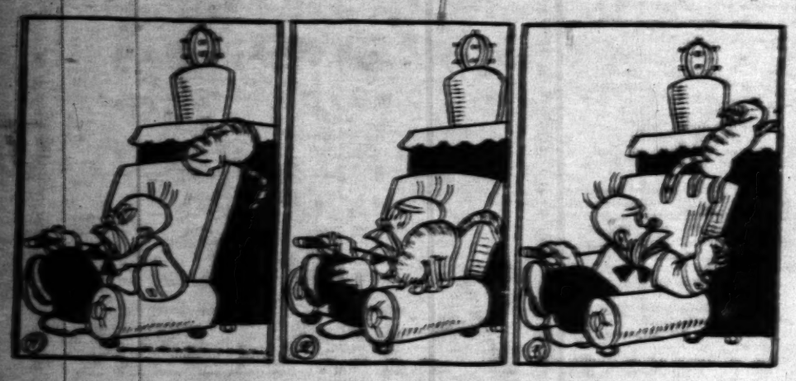

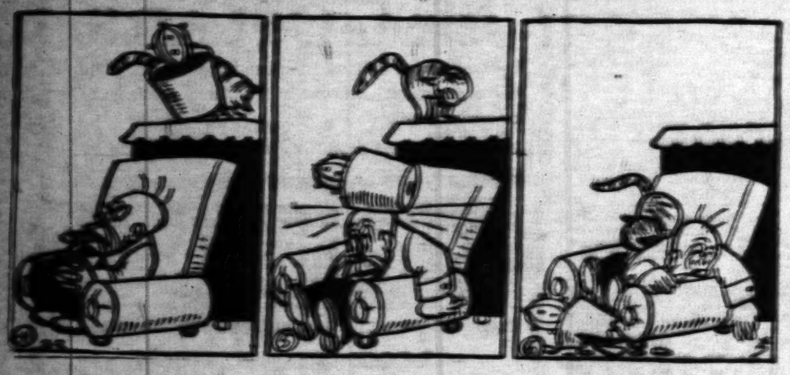

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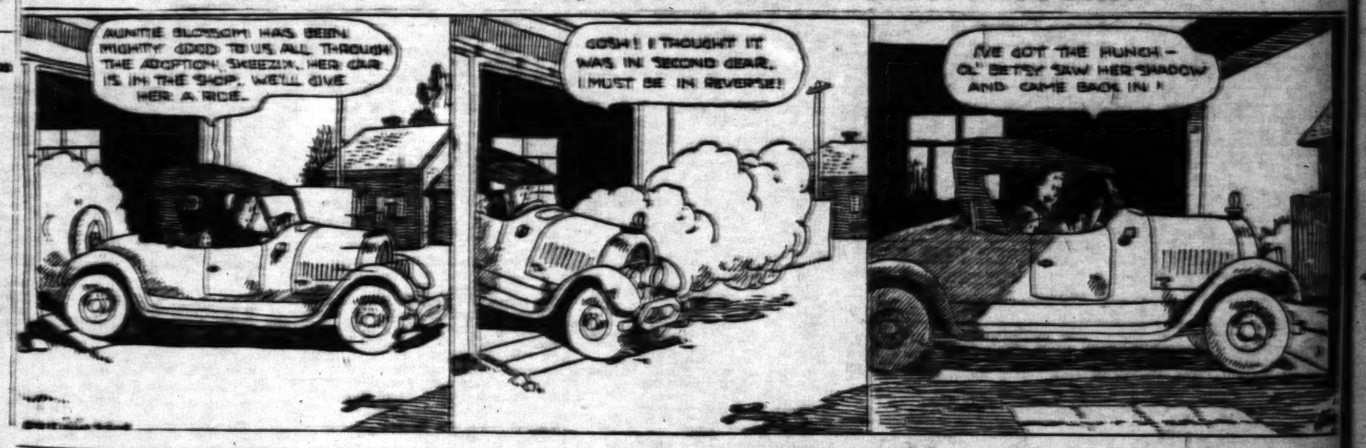

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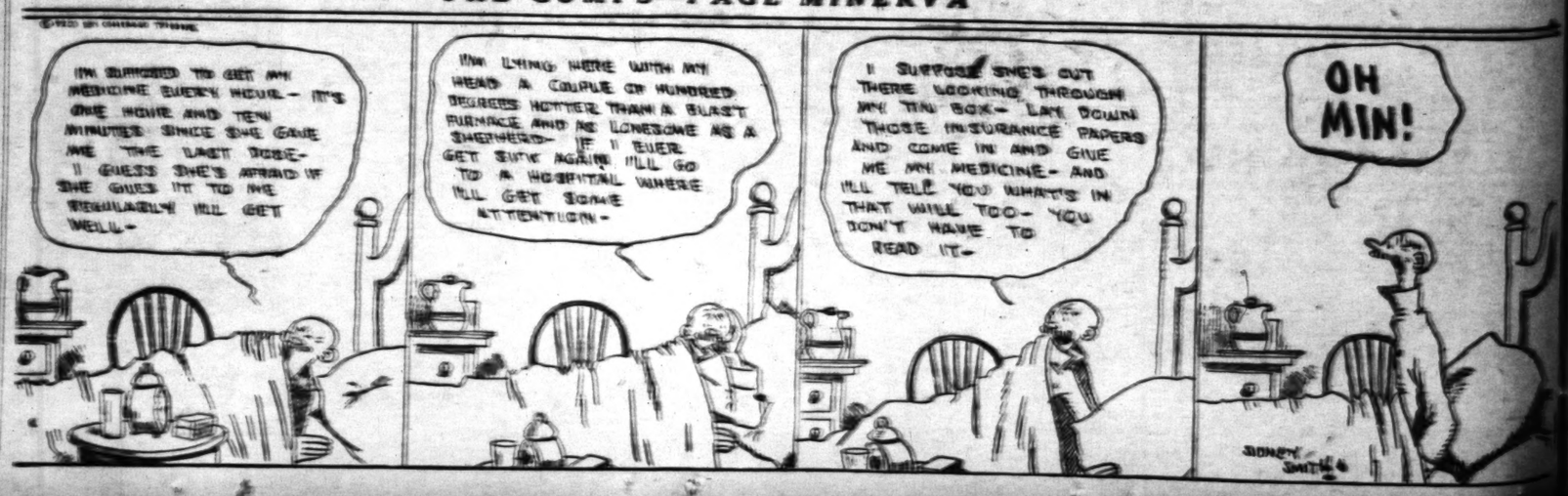

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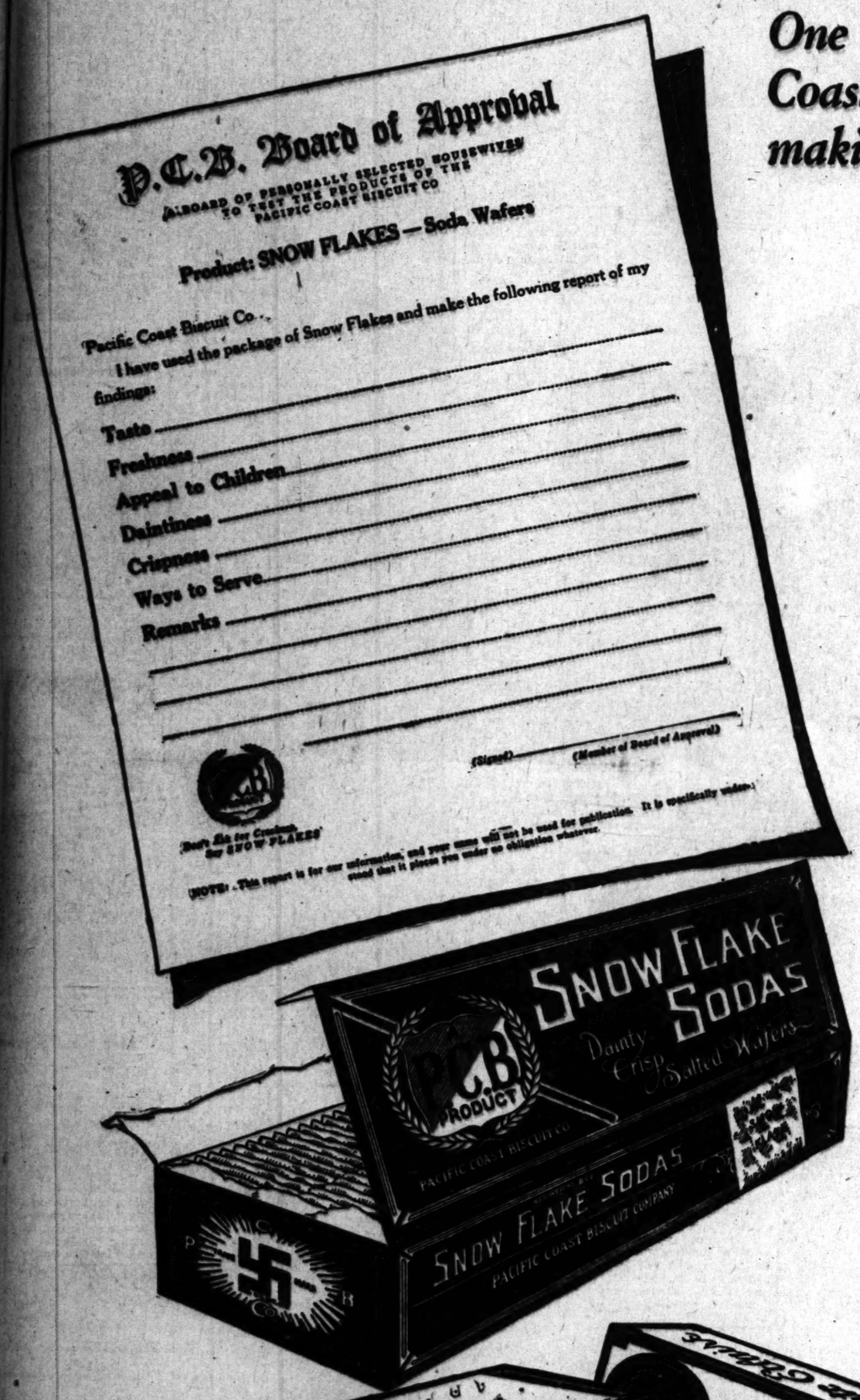

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Men Women and Things in the World's News

Calling the cows landed her opera job. Ida Sylvania, daughter of Pennsylvania farmer, says she did her practicing yodeling for the kine on her father's farm.

Cambridge University hockey team tangles with St. Moritz on the ice in beautiful Alpine setting.

Photos by Pacific & Atlantic.

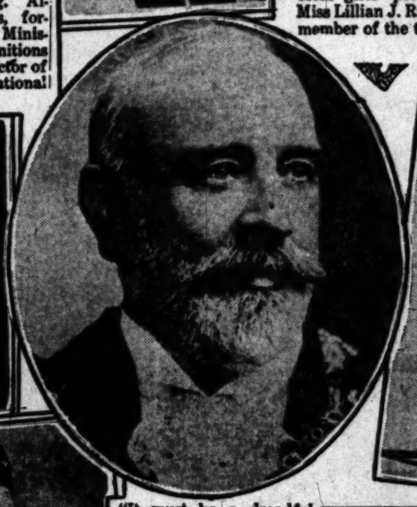
Mrs. Frederick Newton, noted Canadian portrait painter, sails for Europe to continue her studies.

Mme. Amelita Galli-Curci, famous singer, does this to keep her waistline down and spine elastic.

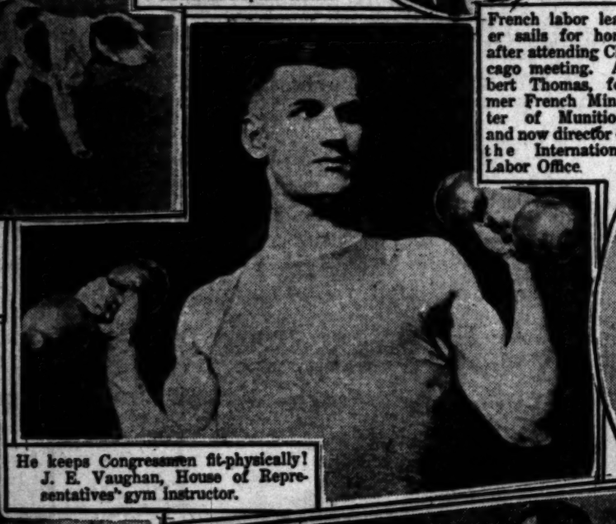
Youngest driver entered in the American dog derby at Ashton, Idaho. Olcott Zarn (right,) 17 years of age.

Lady Geddes, wife of the British Ambassador to the United States, nearly fooled the cameraman.

French labor leader sails for home after attending Chicago meeting. Albert Thomas, former French Minister of Munitions and now director of the International Labor Office.



Quaker City society misses form girls' polo team. Miss Lillian J. Rickert, a member of the team.

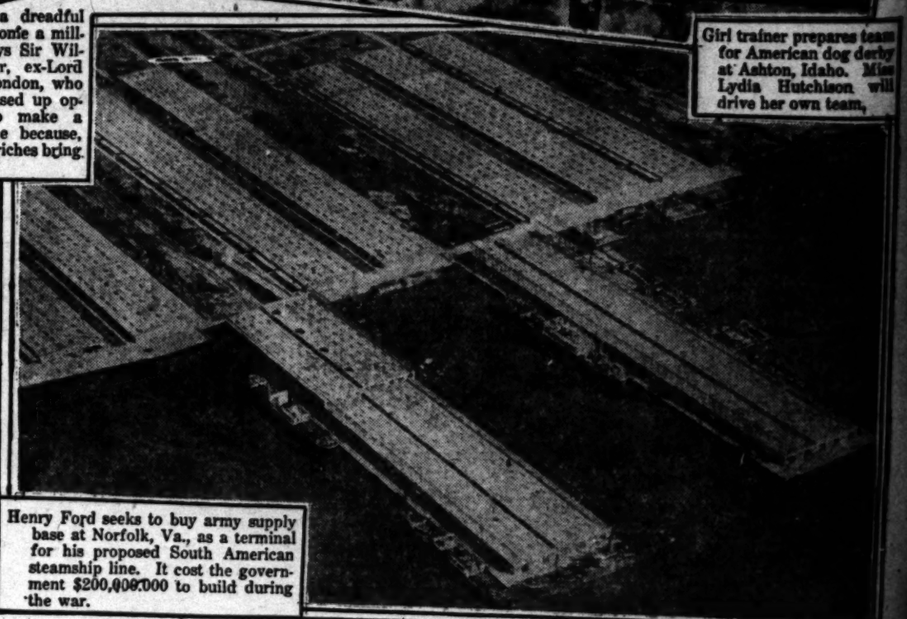


He keeps Congressmen fit-physically! J. E. Vaughan, House of Representatives' gym instructor.

Lewis Bernays, British Consul in New York, and family sail for England on a visit.

Representative Vincent Brennan (left,) of Detroit, and Congressman Arthur Free of California putting on a little bout under the critical eye of J. E. Vaughan, the House's gym instructor.

"It must be a dreadful thing to become a millionaire," says Sir William Treloar, ex-Lord Mayor of London, who has just passed up opportunity to make a great fortune because, he observes, riches bring melancholy.



Girl trainer prepares team for American dog derby at Ashton, Idaho. Miss Lydia Hutchison will drive her own team.

Henry Ford seeks to buy army supply base at Norfolk, Va., as a terminal for his proposed South American steamship line. It cost the government $200,000,000 to build during the war.

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DAILY EASTERN CITRUS MARKETS

CALIFORNIA CITRUS SHIPMENTS
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

	Oranges.	Lemons.
January 31	53	15
Total to date this season	4,303	1,213
Total to same date last season	6,702	1,450
CENTRAL CALIFORNIA		
January 30	5	2
Total to date this season	4,696	177
Total to same date last season	4,152	73
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA		
January 30	0	0
Total to date this season	327	33
Total to same date last season	365	7

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Nineteen cars of navels sold. Market is slightly higher 150s and smaller; unchanged 126s and larger. Weather fair.

NAVELS—Orchard, Imp, NatO 4.65; Standard, Imp, NatO 2.85; Blue Globe, RIVx 2.80; Gold Buckle, RHx 4.00; Alta Cresta, Imp, RIVx 3.95; Echo, STx 4.20; Pinnacle, OKx 3.85; Camel, Imp, Qx 3.35; Red Seald, ACGx 3.65. NAVELS—Orchard King, COVx 3.35; Luxury, RHx 3.65; Victoria, RIVx 3.65; Shamrock, NOx 3.80; Fido, LMx 4.25; Blue Russer, OKx 3.65; Harp 3.60; Golden Center 2.95; Blue Label, CCx 3.50. NAVELS—Alta Cresta, RIVx 4.05; Robusta, Imp, RIVx 3.40; Arroyo, STx 3.60; Corona Crown, Imp, Qx 4.10; Pet, SDx 2.75; Royal Knight, RHx 3.40; Daffodil, COVx 3.60; Golden Circle, RHx 3.20; M. Colony, NOx 3.45. NAVELS—Orcal, LMx 3.90; Pinnacle, OKx 3.85; Alta Loma, OKx 3.00. TANGERINES—Upland King, OKx 2.45. LEMONS—Fido, LMx 3.85.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 1.—Two cars of navels and two cars of lemons sold. Market lower on oranges and lemons.

NAVELS—Carmencita, NOx 3.55; Desert Beauties, ACGx 4.35. NAVELS—Colombo, NOx 2.35. LEMONS—Silver, RIVx 4.75. LEMONS—Black Hawk, RIVx 3.85; President, OKx 4.80. LEMONS—Mark Twain, OKx 4.00; Huck Finn, OKx 3.65.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 1.—Three cars of navels and one car of lemons sold. Market is steady on oranges and lemons.

NAVELS—Woodlake Nymph, LMx 3.15. NAVELS—Trail, ACGx 4.05; G. Surprise, LMx 2.35. NAVELS—Marll, CCx 2.95. LEMONS—Aristocrat, STx 5.45; Lancer, STx 5.00.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 1.—Two cars of navels and one car of lemons sold. Market easier on oranges and lemons.

NAVELS—Victory, MOD 2.65. NAVELS—Sutter, SCx 2.45. LEMONS—Pioneer, LMx 4.30. LEMONS—Liberty Maid, LMx 3.10.

BOSTON, Feb. 1.—Eight cars of navels sold. Market is strong and higher.

NAVELS—Glen. Mamo, ACGx 4.30; Sunbeet, CCx 4.25; Sunline, CCx 4.10; Silver Gate, HLCx 2.95. NAVELS—Lindsay, CCx 4.05; Majesty, OKx 3.30; John Alden, RHx 2.95. NAVELS—Fort Pitt, ACGx 3.30; Sunsweet, CCx 3.50; Blue Globe, RIVx 4.30. NAVELS—Cuyamaca, HLCx 3.90; Pinnacle, OKx 3.70; Priscilla, RHx 4.45.

PRODUCE MARKET

Trading yesterday was light. The demand was moderate and supplies were liberal in fruits and staple vegetables, but rather light for all local vegetables except peas. Apples and bananas are in good demand among the fruits. Lettuce is weaker and selling at lower level. Peas are in heavy supply and selling slowly, although reports of frost damage were received from some producing sections. Local and Turlock sweet potatoes are about cleaned up and the trade is drawing upon the Southern States for supplies. Tomatoes are selling slightly lower, although local stock is practically off the market.

DAILY MARKET REPORT

Actual prices obtained yesterday by Los Angeles jobbers from their sales to retailers, peddlers, hotels, restaurants, cafeterias, etc., as compiled by the United States Bureau of Markets:

APPLES—4 unbroken and 3 broken cars on team track. Northerns: Bellefleurs, fancy, 1.25@1.40; Newtowns, fancy, 1.40@1.65 per box; loose, 3@3½ per lb. Utahs: Jonathans, loose, 4½@5; poorer, 3@4; Winter Bananas, 6; Delicious, 6@7 per lb. Washingtons: Jonathans, packed, extra fancy, 1.85@2.00; fancy, 1.75@1.85; poor, 1.40@1.65; Delicious, extra fancy, 2.50@2.60; Yellow Newtowns, extra fancy, 1.75@1.90 per box; fancy, 1.65@1.65. Oregons: Spitzenbergs, extra fancy, 2.10@2.25 per box; Jonathans, 3 per lb. Locals: Newtowns and Rome Beauties, 3@3½ per lb.

ARTICHOKES—Best, 1.75@2.00; small, 1.25@1.50 per dozen.

BUNCHED VEGETABLES—Per dozen bunches: Beets, carrots and turnips, 25@30; spinach, 30; parsnips, 35@40; onions and radishes, 10@15; parsley, 15.

CABBAGE—Quality good. Locals, best, 1@1¼ per lb.

CAULIFLOWER—Quality fair to poor; 50@65 per dozen.

CELERY—Wide range in quality and prices. Locals: Best, 2.50@3.00; poorer, 1.50@1.25.

CUCUMBERS—Hothouse, extra, 2.75@2.85; fancy, 2.50@2.65; poorer, 2.00 per dozen.

GRAPEFRUIT—5 cars California arrived; 6 unbroken cars on team track. Arizonas, 64-54 sizes, seedless, 4.50@5.00 per box. Imperial Valley, 4.50@5.00 per box; special brands, 5.50@6.50 per box. Northerns, 3.00@3.25 per box.

LEMONS—Special brands, fancy, 6.00@6.25; choice, 5.50 per box; market pack, 3.00@3.50.

LETTUCE—7 cars California arrived; 3 unbroken and 6 broken cars on team track. Locals, best, 75@1.00 per field crate. Imperial Valley, few best, large, 2.75; medium, 2.25@2.50; poorer, small, low as 1.50 per crate.

ONIONS—1 car California arrived; 5 unbroken cars on team track. Stocktons: Browns, 2.50@3.00; Whites, best, 4.75@5.00; poorer, 4.25@4.50.

ORANGES—Northerns: Special brands, navels, 3.00@4.50 per box, according to size; market pack, 2.25@2.75; culls, 90@1.25 per picking box; orchard run, 1.40@1.60 per picking box.

PEAS—181 sacks arrived. Per lb.: Orange county and Carlsbad, 11@12; poorer, 9; San Pedro, 12@13; Merizant, 11@13.

PEARS—Locals and Northerns, Winter Bartletts, best, 6@7; Winter Nellis, 5@6 per lb.

PEPPERS—Locals: Bells, 7@8; Chilis, few best, 20@25; poorer, 14@16 per lb. Mexicans, best, 20@25; poorer, 15 per lb.

POTATOES—12 cars California and 6 Idaho arrived; 6 diverted; 54 unbroken and 20 broken cars on team track. Northern Rivers, 1.50@1.70, poorer low as 1.25 per cwt. Idahos: Russets, 1.50@1.65.

RHUBARB—Locals: Standard varieties, packed, 1.45 per box; fancy Panama, 1.80; Senator, 1.60@1.70 per box; ordinary pack and varieties, 90@1.00 per box.

SACKED VEGETABLES—Per sack: Beets, 1.25; turnips, 1.00@1.25; carrots, 1.00; rutabagas, 3¾ per lb.

SQUASH—Hubbard, 3½@4; ocean, 3@3½ per lb.; Italian, 1.00 per flat.

SWEET POTATOES—Locals: Jerseys, 3@3½ per lb. Northerns: Nancy Halls, 4@4½ per lb. Arkansas: Nancy Halls, 1.85@2.00 per crate; 1.85@2.10 per bushel basket, according to quality.

TANGERINES—Locals and Northerns, 6@7 per lb.

TOMATOES—3 cars Mexicans arrived. Locals: Lugs, few ripes, best, 1.50; poorer, 1.00@1.25. Mexicans: Pinks, originals, 3.25; repacked, 3.50 per lug; ripes, loose, 5 per lb.

MISCELLANEOUS—Eggplant, locals, best, 8@10; Mexicans, 10@12 per lb. Garlic: Mexican and Northern, few best, 10@13; poorer, 7@8 per lb.

POULTRY PRICES ON LOCAL MARKET

Hens, under 3½ lbs., per lb.	.24
Hens, 3½ lbs. and up each, per lb.	.24
Hens, colored, 4 lbs. and up each, per lb.	.28
Broilers, 1 and under 1½ lbs., per lb.	.34
Broilers, 1½ lbs. and up to 2½ lbs., per lb.	.34
Fryers, 2½ to 3 lbs. each, per lb.	.34
Roasters, soft bone, over 3 lbs. and up	.30
Stags, per lb.	.16
Old roosters	.14
Ducklings, Pekins, 3½ lbs. and up, lb.	.20
Ducklings, other than Pekins, 3½ lbs. and up, per lb.	.22
Old ducks, 3½ lbs. and up each, per lb.	.20
Geese, per lb.	.23
Young tom turkeys, 13 lbs. and up each, per lb.	.33
Young tom turkeys, dressed, 12 lbs. and up each, per lb.	.38
Hen turkeys, 8 lbs. and up each, per lb.	.38
Hen turkeys, dressed, 7 lbs. and up each, per lb.	.33
Old tom turkeys, per lb.	.31
Old tom turkeys, dressed, per lb.	.32
Small hen turkeys, under 8 lbs., per lb.	.15
Small young tom turkeys, under 13 lbs., per lb.	.15
Squabs, light to heavy, per lb.	.25@.30
Capons, less than 8 lbs. each, per lb.	.30
Capons, 8 lbs. and up each, per lb.	.35
Belgian hares, 2 and 3½ lbs. each, per lb.	.16
Belgian hares, 3½ to 5 lbs. each, per lb.	.12
Belgian hares, old, per lb.	.08

MINING STOCKS IN SAN FRANCISCO

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 1.—Following are today's closing quotations and sales on the San Francisco Stock Exchange, furnished by A. W. Coots, 614 South Spring street, member Los Angeles and San Francisco Stock Exchanges:

Sales.	Divide District—	Bid.	Asked.
1,000	Aladdin	.01	.02
7,500	Belcher Extension	.04	.05
6,000	Ben Hur	.08	.11
4,000	Bevis	.04	
1,500	High Divide	.03	.03
2,000	Kernick	.01	.02
4,000	Lucky Boy	.03	.04
1,000	Myra	.02	.03
1,000	North West Divide	.07	.08
2,000	Silver King Divide	.06	.06
7,000	Sutherland Divide	.09	
12,000	Tonopah Dividend	.02	.03
18,500	Tonopah Hasbrouck	.05	.06
1,500	Verdi Divide	.01	.02
3,000	Western	.02	.03
	Eureka District—		
700	Bullwhacker	.53	.55
500	Central Eureka	1.17½	1.20
300	Eureka Croesus	.30	.32
	Goldfield District—		
2,000	Combination Fraction	.03	.04
10,000	Crackerjack	.05	.06
500	Florence	.03	.05
14,000	Goldfield Deep Mines	.18	.19
13,000	Goldfield Develop.	.20	
8,000	Grandma		.07
8,500	Red Hills	.03	.04
2,000	Sandstorm Kendall	.03	.04
2,000	Silver Pick		.07
10,000	Spearhead Gold	.10	.11
	Tonopah District—		
1,000	MacNamara Crescent	.02	.04
3,000	North Star	.04	.05
	Comstock District—		
2,000	Best & Belcher	.07	
2,000	Con. Virginia	.10	.11
10,000	Concordia	.06	.07
1,000	Ophir	.07	.08
800	Union Consolidated	.18	.20
	Other Districts—		
5,000	Arrowhead	.03	.04
300	Round Mountain	.30	.32
300	Silver Hills	.01	.02
17,500	Sandry Red Mt.	.03	
2,700	Yellow Dog	1.10	1.12½
300	Jib	.74	

Bullish Views Reverse Prices in Grain Mart

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—A decided change in sentiment was witnessed in the grain markets and, while there was a moderate decline early on bearish news from abroad, the undertone was strong and the finish was about the top, with net gains of ¼@⅝c on wheat, ¾@⅝c on corn, ⅛@⅝c on oats and ⅝c on rye.

There was little enthusiasm among local wheat bears early, despite a decline of ¾@⅞d in Liverpool and prospects of Argentine exports of 3,550,000 bushels from Argentina for the week the latter being around 2,800,000 bushels in excess of the previous week. Offerings around 1.16⅜ for May were quickly absorbed by commission houses and with short covering and increased outside buying prices moved up readily at the top, showing 1@2c over the early low, with the finish within ⅛@⅜c of the outside figures.

A belief that the Lenroot credit bill would pass the Senate tomorrow with an Allied loan to Austria, and a lack of moisture in the dry districts in the Southwest were the main bullish influences and there was little opposition until May got up to around 1.18, at which figure and over there was plenty of grain for sale. Export demand was only fair, with sales of 700,000 bushels claimed to have been made to Greece. Hard winter premiums at the Gulf were ⅛c lower at 6⅝c over Chicago May, the lowest difference on the crop.

Corn prices advanced to the best figure in two weeks, and at the top May sold within 1⅛c and July within 1c over the highest point of the season. Sentiment was bullish and with wheat strong and an increase in the outside interest the bulge was easily maintained. There was some buying by a strong local operator, while the selling on the advance was largely in the way of profit-taking. Some rain has fallen in Argentina, but more is needed. Domestic conditions continue the dominating influence in corn and reports of a slow export demand attract little attention. Receipts, 119 cars, with the basis on spot better as compared with May.

Short covering on the strength in other grains advanced oats prices readily. There was nothing in the situation to cause independent action. Cash demand slow and February sold at 41½@41⅝, or 3⅝c under the May. Receipts, 62 cars.

While there was some foreign buying of rye futures early, there was only a limited demand at the seaboard and the advance in futures was due mainly to the upturn in wheat. The two northwestern markets had 102 cars.

Following are the open, high, low and closing quotations:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	1.16⅝	1.18	1.16¼	1.17⅞
July	1.11⅝	1.12⅝	1.11⅝	1.12¼
September	1.09¼	1.10	1.09	1.09⅝
Corn—				
May	.73	.73⅞	.72⅞	.73⅝
July	.73	.74	.72⅞	.73⅝
September	.73	.73⅝	.72⅞	.73⅝
Oats—				
May	.44½	.44⅞	.44⅛	.44⅝
July	.42⅜	.42⅞	.42⅛	.42⅝
September	.41	.41⅛	.41	.41⅛
Rye—				
May	.86⅛	.87⅞	.86⅞	.87¼
Lard—				
May	11.40	11.40	11.35	11.37½
Ribs—				
May	10.92½	10.92½	10.87½	10.87½

WINNIPEG WHEAT

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	1.11⅝	1.12⅝	1.11⅝	1.12⅛
July	1.11⅝	1.12⅝	1.11⅝	1.12⅛

Cash Prices

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—Cash: Wheat, No. 3 red, 1.21½; No. 2 hard winter, 1.18; yellow, 1.17¼@1.18¼.

Corn: No. 2 mixed, 71½; No. 4 mixed, 69@69½; No. 3 yellow, 71½@72½; No. 4 yellow, 69¼@70; No. 3 white, 71½@72; No. 4 white, 69½.

Oats: No. 1 white, 46@46¼; No. 2 white, 43¼@44½; No. 3 white, 43@43½; No. 4 white, 42@42½.

New York Grains

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Wheat spot steady; No. 1 dark northern spring, c.i.f. track, New York, domestic, 1.40⅝; No. 2 red winter, c.i.f. track, New York, export, 1.31¼; No. 2 hard do., 1.27¼; No. 1 Manitoba do., 1.30⅝, and No. 2 mixed durum do., 1.19⅝.

Corn spot firm; No. 2 yellow and No. 2 white, c.i.f. New York, all rail, 90; No. 2 mixed, do., 89½.

Oats spot steady; No. 2 white, 55.

Los Angeles Exchange

DAILY BOARD QUOTATIONS

Arrivals—Wheat, 13; barley, 2; corn, 2; flour, 6; bran, 2; cereals, 2; cocoanut meal, 10; miscellaneous, 3; total, 38. Hay, 10.

BARLEY—100 TONS

	Bid.	Ask.
February	1.53	1.60
Second half of March	1.63 1-6	1.66½

LATEST PRICES ON BUTTER AND EGGS

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 1.—Produce Exchange closing prices: Butter, creamery extras, 50, up 1. Eggs, cases included, fresh extras, 32, unchanged; case count, 29, off 1; pullets, 28, unchanged. Cheese, California flats, 22, unchanged.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 1. Butter, extras, 49¼. Eggs, extras, 34¼. Cheese, California flat fancy, 22½.

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—Butter lower; creamery extras, 47; standards, 44¼; extra firsts, 44½@46; firsts, 42½@43½; seconds, 41½@42. Eggs, unchanged receipts, 10,742 cases.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Butter unsettled. Creamery higher than extras, 47½@48. Creamery, extras, 47; firsts, 45¼@46½. Eggs steady. Fresh gathered extra firsts, 38. Do., firsts, 35@37. Pacific Coast whites, extras, 47. Do., firsts to extra firsts, 43@46. Cheese steady.

DAILY MARKET LETTER OF THE NEW YORK COMMERCIAL

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—The California Prune and Apricot Growers' Association today announced its re-entry into the prune market and named prices ranging from 1 to 3-4 of a cent per pound over the opening basis save on 20s, which are quoted lower. The new prices are: Sunsweets, 20s, 21½ cents, a reduction of 3½ cents per pound; 30s, 11 1-4 cents; 40s, 9 cents. The prices on the latter two sizes are bulk basis; the 20s, packed basis. Growers are offered at 21 1-4 cents for 20s packed, a cut of 3 1-4 cents; 30s, 11 cents; 40s, 8 3-4 cents; 50s, 7 3-4 cents; 60s, 7½ cents. All bulk basis and representing an advance of 1-4 cent on each size; 70s, 80s, 90s, 7 cents, bulk basis, representing advances of 1-4 cent on 70s and 3-4 cent on 80s and 90s. On 100-120s the market is ½ cent higher, at 6½ cents packed, with 120s at 6 cents, up 3-4 cent. Only a limited quantity of the smaller sizes is available, says the association and Growers and Sunsweets cannot be shipped in mixed cars.

The association offered a few growers apricots at 20 cents for standards, 24 cents on choice and 25½ cents for extra choice, all in twenty-five-pound boxes. In commenting on market conditions, the association said: "Stock prunes and apricots very light considering season of year. Believe market will be entirely cleaned up by April."

SOME ORANGES UP

California oranges were slightly higher on 150s and smaller; unchanged on 126s and larger. There was a good demand at the sale of nineteen cars of navels, prices ranging $2.40@4.50 per box, according to size and quality.

Florida oranges were strong, 8870 boxes being sold at $2.63@6.25. Grapefruit was unchanged. Florida tangerines were likewise unchanged, prices ranging $1.75@$4.00 per half box; 3215 half-boxes being sold. At the sale of 5000 boxes of Palermos and Messinas ex steamship Malgache prices were: Firsts, 300s, $4.12@4.50; seconds, 300s, $3.62½@4.12½; firsts, 360s, $3.25@3.50; seconds, 360s, $3.00@3.25.

In local canned foods trading jobbers were in the market for spot stocks of practically all staples and while there were no large individual orders reported satisfying volume of small lot orders was noted.

CHERRIES SOLD

California and Northwestern canners are well sold upon their number 10 cherries, and this is resulting in more business on the Michigan packed varieties.

In futures tomatoe buyers are not yet willing to take hold of the Maryland-Delaware futures market due to variance in prices quoted and uncertainty as to crop prospects. The market on spot tomatoes for prompt cannery shipment remains strong at 77½ cents for standard 1's, $1 for 2s, $1.55@$1.60 for 3s and $5.40@$5.50 for 10s all f.o.b. cannery.

Warner has secured some 12,000 bags of Cuba raw sugars for February shipment at 3 5-8 cents cost and freight. The American Sugar Refining Company and Czarnikow, Ryonda & Company purchased some 150,000 bags of Cuban raw sugars at 3 5-8 cents cost and freight February shipment. An invoice of 5000 bags of Porto Rico for prompt shipment was reported to one of the refiners at 5.34 cents. American Sugar Refining Company secured 5000 tons of Philippine Islands centrifugals for February arrival, indicating a steady enhancement of values for duty free raw sugars. The United Kingdom is closely watching the advance in raw sugars on this side. Good business is reported moving in refined sugar especially at the 6.50 cents level. Fair business is also in evidence by the refiners quoting 6.60 cents. Refiners quoting 6.70 cents took a fair business.

FUTURES RECOVER

In sugar futures first prices came 1 to 3 points higher. Prices advanced a point or two after the call but just before noon the market worked off 3 to 5 points from the early levels.

Finals were at an advance of 2 points to a decline of 1 point with sales estimated at some 43,050 tons. The switching was fairly active including March to May 9 and 10 points; February to March at even rates; July to September at a difference of 8 points and March to July at a spread of 21 points.

Sales of the May and June options were made at 7.10. Prices closed nominally 5 to 10 points higher.

The coffee market gained 1 to 5 points at the outset and kept buoyant although sales in the main were of generally small proportions. Trading largely consisted of switches from the near months into the more distant positions, March swatching with May at 55 points and with July at 120 points, while May switched with September at 128 points while Septemper was exchanged for December at 32 points. At the close near months had gained 16 to 25 points. The more remote months were about 7 to 13 points higher.

TEAS IN DEMAND

Teas are feeling the impulse of increased consumption the country over. Steady buying features all varieties in this market. The market for standard Congous teas continues to rule firm on a basis of 21 cents a pound, while Formosas are meeting a good demand.

Trading in rice is showing increase. Prices at primary points are well maintained.

A prominent bean dealer is offering Madagascar Lima beans which just arrived and packed in 100-pound bags at 6 1-4 cents, f.o.b. New York. Quality is good and the quantity limited. Peas are the easiest sold. Red and white kidneys appear to be wanted. California limas are strong and 10 cents is asked, but this price is rather extreme. Peas are quiet. Lentils in fair demand.

The downward course of the butter market was unchecked, nearly all grades of table stock showing a decline of 1 cent per pound. Call sales were 25 and 25 tubs extras 47½ cents; 25 tubs, 100, 100, 50, 50, 50, 25, 25, 25, 25, 25, 100, 500, 25, 100, 25, 100, 100, 25, 80, 80, 100, all at 47 cents per pound, spot delivery. In futures five 100-tub lots extras 47 cents; 100 seller the week, 46½ cents; 100 seller February, 46 3-4 cents; 100 seller February 46 3-4 cents; 200 seller February 47 cents; 100 seller Friday 47 1-4 cents; 100 seller February 47 1-4 cents.

The market is steady on fresh eggs. Call sales were 70 cases f. g. firsts, 36 cents; 50 cases 35c spot delivery and 100 cases seller, 10 days at 33 cents per dozen.

COPPER HOLDING

Copper is firmly held at 15 cents a pound for electrolytic delivered over the next four months. London reported standard advancing 5s to £65, 12s 6d for spot and £66 5s for futures and while electrolytic spot was unchanged at £72, 5s, futures showed a gain of 5s at £72, 15s.

Zinc was 5 points lower at 7.05 cents a pound St. Louis for February shipments with later months available at 7 cents a pound. London reported standard spot unchanged at £35, 17s 6d but futures declined 5s to £34, 18s 6d.

The price of bunker fuel oil at New York and other Atlantic points was raised 10 cents a barrel today by Standard Oil of New Jersey, establishing a terminal quotation of $1.60 per barrel and an f.a.s. price of $1.66½ per barrel. The latter figure includes 6½ cents lighterage charge in New York Harbor. Other large distributors made similar advance. The increase is the result of increased demand and higher tanker freight rates on crude petroleum brought from Mexico and California.

FURTHER ADVANCE

A further advance of 10 to 25 cents per barrel in posted prices for Pennsylvania and other eastern grades of crude oil was announced today.

Strength in foreign loans again furnished opposition to the bear raids on the market in sympathy with stocks. French issues were higher with the municipals up an average of 2 points. British issues were stronger, due to the recovery in sterling; Belgian issues were active, closing near the day's best and fractional gains were recorded in Dutch bonds.

In Liberty bonds first 3½s and the Victories finished with slight gains, but the other active issues were down 2 to 4 points for the day.

Irregularity was the keynote of rail bonds during most of the day except for a few steady groups here and there. The finish was better than was generally expected in view of the uncertain trend of the stock market, coupled with firmer call-money rates.

BOSTON COPPER

[Furnished by A. H. Crary & Co., 618 South Spring street.]

BOSTON, Feb. 1.—Closing quotations:

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Ahmeek	56¾	57	Mass. Con.	1½	2
Adventure	20	60	Mass. Gas	83	84
Batopilas	145	146	Michigan	2	2½
Allouez	21	23	Mohawk	54½	55½
Algoma	25	40	Mayflower O. Colony	4⅜	4½
Am. Pneu.	2¾	3	Monarch	13	20
Do. pfd.	17½	18	Nausea	7¾	8
Arcadian	3		Nipissing	5⅞	6
Boston Ely	60	62	N. Butte	9	9½
Boston Elev.	81½	82½	New Corn.	18¼	18½
Bingham	8		New River		37
B. Hank	4½		Eureka	21	22
Bohemia	30	75	Mutual	22	23
B. & Maine	18	18½	Eagle	3	3
Butte & L.	5		Ohio	40	45
B. & M. Cm.	8	9	Old Dom.	20	21
Carson Hill	8	8½	Osceola	19	20
Cal. & A.	53½	54½	Onondaga	30	31
Cal. & H.	291	293	Quincy	53	53½
Canada	1		Ray Herc.	1½	1¾
Centennial	9¾	9	Shan. Cop.	70	75
Chief Cons.	4	4½	Shannon	55	75
C. G. Mines	3½	3½	Shattuck	8	9½
Copper R.	36½	37	St. Mary	41	42
Crystal	17-16	1½	S. Utah	1	10
Davis Daly	2¾	3	Sup. & B.	2¾	2¾
Alpha	3	8	Swift Int.	19¼	19½
Alvarado	8	10	Swift P. Co.	106	106¾
Alvarado	8½	4½	S. W. Miami, full	180	230
Bagdad	9	10	Do. part.	99	100
E. Butte	7¾	8	Tuolumne	53	64
First Nat.	40	45	Utah Apex.	2 15-16	3
Franklin	1¾	1⅞	Utah Cons.	1½	1¾
Gadsden	60	73	Utah Metals	98	100
G. Monster	5	13	U. S. M. & S. com.	38½	38¾
Hancock	2½	3½	Do. pfd.	45½	46
Helvetia	50	51	U. V. Ex.	28¾	29¾
Houghton	20	30	Shoe Mach.	40¾	40½
Isl. Creek	101	102	Do. pfd.	28¾	29½
Indiana	23	30	Ventura	27¾	28
Iron Blos.	23	31	Wal-orf	39¾	40
Iron Cap	4½	8¼	Warner Bros.	25¼	26
J. V. Dev.	2½	2¾	Winona	80	100
Kerr Lake	3	3½	Wolverine	7½	8½
Keweenaw	1½	2	Wyandotte	25	50
Lake Cop.	3	3¼	Ahumada	4¾	5
La Rose	13	20	Erupcion	3¾	4
La Salle	1	1¾	Verde Cent.	3¾	3¾
Libby, McN. & L.	7	7¼			
Mason Valley	1½	2			

WALL STREET NEWS

BY MONITOR
[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—While the higher-priced motors have been experiencing difficulty in maintaining their market position recently, Moon Motors not only held its own today but reached 20, a new high for the year. A large block of common stock has been hanging over the market for some time, and this has just been absorbed, leaving the market free to respond to the apparently good prospects for the coming year. Production schedule of the Moon company calls for 1923 operations at a rate of about double the volume for 1922. Directors are due to meet in March, and already there is a talk in the market of the possibility of a 50-cent dividend which may be declared at that time.

With Baldwin giving way under pressure over the past week or so and other equipments very slow, it appears as though much of the benefit to be derived from the heavy financing program being followed by the railroads has already been discounted. Above 132 Baldwin has found little support, and from surface indications it would appear as though the bear element is meeting with considerable success. Even since the withdrawal of Mexican Petroleum from the board, Baldwin has been more or less the standard bearer for the speculative-investment issues, with professional interests centering their efforts on this issue whenever an attempt was to be made to bring about a major movement either way.

CALIFORNIA DRIED FRUIT

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Evaporated apples dull; prunes quiet; apricots and peaches steady; raisins easy.

LIVE-STOCK MARKETS AT VARIOUS CENTERS

Los Angeles

[Furnished by Federal-State Live-Stock Market News Service, 1023 Pacific Finance Building, Los Angeles.]

Receipts and disposition of live stock at the Los Angeles Union Stockyards:

Thursday's estimated receipts: Cattle, 200; calves, 163; hogs, 150; sheep, 400.

Actual receipts Wednesday, January 31: Cattle, 318; calves, 215; hogs, 220; sheep, none.

Disposition Wednesday January 31: Los Angeles packers, 354 cattle, 213 calves, 131 hogs; other killers, 38 hogs; feeders, 33 cattle, 268 hogs.

Cattle—Market quotably steady. Light receipts with slow trading in beef grades. Nothing moving eastward at a late hour in this line. One string of Arizona yearling feeder steers of 447-pound weight sold at 4.75. Two loads of 1, 2 and 3-year-old Arizona feeders, averaging 897 pounds, cashed at 5.00.

One lot of yearling Texas heifers, averaging 480 pounds, scored 5.50. One lot of beef cows of the dairy type sold at 5.00, with six out at 3.00.

Calves—Market steady. Three loads of Southern Arizonas of 254-pound weight went over at 8.00.

Hogs—Market steady with a firm undertone. One load of Californias, averaging 223 pounds, cashed at 9.85. One lot of heavy packers went at 8.00. Three loads of good Oklahoma killers, with some pigs included, scored 9.75, with nineteen heavies at 7.50. One lot of 122-pounders sold at 9.50. One load of 91-pound feeder pigs cashed at 9.00.

Sheep and Lambs—Market quotably steady. No sales of record at a late hour. Good 85-pound Idaho lambs have been purchased by local packers at 12½c, f.o.b. loading point.

Quotations, based upon sales at the Los Angeles Union Stockyards, follow:

Cattle: Beef steers, good grade, 7.25@8.40; medium grade, 6.00@7.25; common, 5.00@6.00; beef cows, good grade, 5.00@6.25; medium grade, 4.50@5.25; common, 3.50@4.50; canners and cutters, 1.50@3.50; bologna and butcher bulls, 2.75@5.00; feeder steers, 5.00@6.50.

Calves: 150 to 200 pounds, medium, good and choice, 8.25@9.50; 200 to 250 pounds, 7.50@8.50; 250 to 300 pounds, 7.00@8.25; over 300 pounds, 7.00@8.00.

Hogs: 150 to 200 pounds, good and choice, 9.75@10.10; 200 to 250 pounds, 8.75@10.00; 250 to 300 pounds, 8.00@8.75; over 300 pounds, 7.75@8.00; smooth sows, 7.50@8.25; rough sows, 7.00@7.50; feeder pigs, 8.00@8.75.

Sheep and lambs (full wooled:) Lambs, 84 pounds down, good and choice, 14.25@15.00; medium, 13.25@14.00; medium and good ewes, 5.00@7.50; yearling wethers, medium, good and choice, 9.50@11.00; aged wethers, 7.50@8.25.

Outside Markets

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 1.—Cattle: Beef steers, good grade, 7.50@7.75; medium grade, 7.05@7.20; common grade, 6.00@7.00; beef cows, good grade, 5.50@5.90; medium grade, 5.00@5.50; common grade, 4.00@3.00; canners and cutters, 2.00@3.50; bologna bulls, 3.00@4.25; calves, medium, good and choice, 150 to 200 pounds, 8.00@9.00; good and choice, 200 to 250 pounds, 8.00@8.50; good and choice, 250 to 300 pounds, 7.50@8.00; medium to good, over 300 pounds, 6.50@7.50.

Hogs: Choice grain-fed Californias, 150 to 200 pounds, 9.75@10.25; 200 to 250 pounds, 9.25@9.75; 250 to 300 pounds, 8.00@9.00; over 300 pounds, 7.00@7.50; smooth sows, 250 to 300 pounds, 6.50@7.00; rough sows, 250 to 300 pounds, 5.50@6.00; over 300 pounds, 4.50@5.50.

Sheep and lambs: Full-wooled lambs, 84 pounds down, good and choice grade, 14.25@14.75; medium grade, 13.25@14.25; ewes, medium and good, 6.50@7.50; aged wethers, medium and good, 8.00@8.75.

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) Feb. 1.—Cattle: Receipts 8060; calves steady; best vealers, 11.00; bulls and fat she-stock weak with yesterday's low time; bulk cows below 5.00; few up to 6.00; many heifers 4.50@6.00; all other classes dull, but about steady with yesterday's close; good fat heavy bulls, 4.50; bulk bolognas, 4.00@4.25; canners and cutters largely 7.35@7.50; steers early 6.25@8.60, with best held at 9.00 and bid 8.75.

Hogs: Receipts 13,000; slow; 90-pound average down, mostly 5c lower; butchers mostly 10c lower; spots off more on heavies; shipper top, 8.50; packer top, 8.40; 130 to 190-pound weights, 8.40@8.50; 200 to 250-pound weights, 8.25@8.35; 260 to 300-pound weights, 8.15@8.25; packing sows 10@15c lower; 7.10@7.15; a few at 7.25; stock pigs steady; desirable natives, 7.60@8.00.

Sheep: Receipts 4000; lambs generally steady to 10c lower; 78 to 90-pound lots largely 13.90@14.50; top, 14.50; odd lots sheep steady.

PORTLAND (Or.) Feb. 1.—Cattle steady to strong; calves up 1.00; receipts, 88; choice dairy calves, 9.50@10.00; prime light, 9.50@10.00; medium light, 9.00@9.50; heavy, 5.00@9.00.

Hogs steady; receipts 1858 (1314 direct.)

Sheep nominally steady; receipts 47.

OMAHA (Neb.) Feb. 1.—Hogs: Receipts 17,000; mostly 10c lower; closing active and strong at declines; bulk packing grades, 7.10@7.35; bulk butchers, 7.95@8.05; top, 8.10.

Cattle: Receipts 3000; beef steers strong; bulk fed steers, 7.25@8.75; top, 9.50; she-stock, bulls and veals steady; bulk cows, 4.00@5.25; choice grades up to 6.25; bologna bulls, 3.75@4.00; veals, 10.00@11.00; stockers and feeders uneven, slow and steady.

Sheep: Receipts 12,000; lambs mostly 15@25c lower; bulk, 14.00@14.50; top, 14.60; other classes steady; best yearlings, 11.30; wethers, 9.00; bulk ewes, 7.25@7.85; top, 8.00; best feeding lambs, 14.65.

ST. JOSEPH (Mo.) Feb. 1.—Hogs: Receipts 300; slow; no early sales; packers 10@15c lower.

Cattle: Receipts 1000; a few steers and yearlings early 6.75@8.15; looks about steady to strong; spots possibly 25c higher; beef cows strong to a shade higher; canners, 2.50@2.75; cutters, 3.00@3.50.

Sheep: Receipts 3000; early sales fat lambs steady at 14.50@14.75; one double deck 93-pound Colorado ewes at 8.25; looks around 25c higher.

PRODUCE MARKET IN SAN FRANCISCO

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 1.—Broilers, 35@45; fryers, 30@35; young roosters, 23@30. Fruit unchanged. Artichokes, crate, 21.00@24.00; onions, green, box, 75@1.75; potatoes, cwt., 60@1.65. Receipts: Flour, 1693 quarter sacks; barley, 11,795 centals; corn, 2400 sacks; potatoes, 1093 sacks; onions, 677 sacks; hay, 60 tons; hides, number 1980; lemons and oranges, 9450 boxes. Barley feed, 1.60@1.63½; shipping, 1.65@1.70. Hay unchanged.

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PRIVATE WIRES

Short Selling Sends Cotton Market Down

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—The cotton market today was highly irregular and fluctuations were erratic. After showing opening strength short selling came in carrying the list down 15 to 29 points from the early high. Wall Street and local commission houses were the principal sellers. Around midday a good demand for May appeared and rallied prices a point where they were unchanged to 6 points advance. Trading steadied till around 1 o'clock, when the bears again took the market in hand and sharply depressed prices. At the end of the fourth hour prices were off 13 to 33 points. The market recovered near the close, final prices being 3 to 12 points net lower, the close being on a wide range.

Spot cotton was quiet, 10 points decline, 27.40 for middling upland.

Southern markets: Galveston, 27.50, 10 points decline; New Orleans, 27.62, 26 points decline; Savannah, 27.38, 12 points decline; Norfolk, 27.63, unchanged; Memphis, 27.88, 35 points decline; Houston, 27.50, unchanged; Little Rock, 27.25, 25 points decline.

Following are the opening, high, low and closing quotations:

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
March	27.20	27.37	26.99	27.07@27.09
May	27.71	27.75	27.39	27.40@27.42
July	27.99	27.95	26.77	27.04@27.13
October	25.15	25.19	24.77	24.90@24.92
December	24.85	24.85	24.39	24.49@24.51

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
March	27.20	27.33	26.92	27.06@27.09
May	27.61	27.65	26.78	27.00@27.02
July	27.88	27.85	26.55	26.92@26.93
October	25.07	25.09	24.69	24.79@24.81
December	24.39	24.39	24.09	24.25

BUSINESS NEWS

The Harbor Refinery, located at the intersection of East Ninth street and the Santa Fe Railroad, was originally established by E. L. Doheny and associates twenty-six years ago. Through successive managements and under different corporate names it is said to have been in continuous operation ever since.

The business was recently acquired and reorganized by L. L. Featherstone, the corporate name, however, remaining unchanged as the Harbor Refining Company. Capital stock authorized was reduced from $1,000,000 to $150,000, of which $65,000 is preferred, and $85,000 common. All of the old stock has been recalled and the new stock exchanged therefor. First mortgage 7 per cent bonds to the amount of $65,000 have been issued and sold at par to liquidate obligations for additional facilities and as working capital.

Net earnings for the last quarter, after deducting depreciation, $9237.22, or at the rate of $36,948.88 annually. After providing for interest and sinking fund on bonds, quarterly dividend on the preferred was declared at the rate of 7 per cent, payable February 1. Net balance available for dividends on common equal to 25 per cent, or $2.50 per share, par value $10.

INDUSTRIAL STOCK

A syndicate headed by Blair & Co. is offering today $5,000,000 National Department Stores, Inc., 7 per cent cumulative first preferred stock at 100 and accrued dividend. The stock is the obligation of a corporation formed to take over the business of large department stores operating in several eastern cities from four to twenty-six years. The stores included in the combination are Bailey Company in Cleveland, Rosenbaum Company in Pittsburg, B. Nugent & Brother Dry Goods Company in St. Louis, and George R. Praylor & Co. and George E. Stipel Company in Wheeling, W. Va.

The corporation is capitalized at $5,000,000 7 per cent cumulative first preferred, $3,300,000 7 per cent cumulative second preferred, and 300,000 shares of no par common stock.

STATE BONDS

Blyth, Witter & Co., Guaranty Company, E. H. Rollins & Sons and Bankers' Trust Company compose a syndicate that bought yesterday $5,000,000 Oregon State bonus bonds, paying $5,000,000 on a 4½ per cent basis, and $1,000,000 on 4 per cent basis. The purchase price is 100.29.

BUILDING PERMITS

Building permits issued yesterday exceeding $2500 in valuation follow:

Dwellings:

R. B. Bryant, 2285 West Thirty-ninth, owner and builder; $4500.

Fausto G. Smith, 1069 El Paso, owner; M. C. Hinds, builder; $2500.

Mrs. A. E. Maley, 222 Hosford, owner; C. T. Mellems, builder; $10,000.

D. M. Cryer, 513 North Cahuenga, owner and builder; $6500.

Fred J. Black, 722 West Seventy-eighth, owner and builder; $4000.

A. L. Gibbon, 469 West Fifth, San Pedro, owner; Hugh Jamieson, builder; $4500.

E. L. Porter, 1708 North Orange, owner; Frame-Nichols, builders; $7000.

G. Rusak, 941 Lorena, owner; E. L. Smith, builder; $3500.

Dr. H. C. La Mont, 4665 Victoria Park, owner; F. L. Hill, builder; $4000.

Charles F. McKinney, 1133 West Longwood, owner; J. L. Johnson, builder; $3500.

Phillip M. Moreno, 325 Wilcox, owner; Meiers Construction Company, builders; $7500.

Alden W. Poole, 453 North Gardner, owner; R. C. Mack, builder; $4500.

M. Kelly, 417 North Cummings, owner; Lagman & Ellerbe, builders; $3800.

W. H. Brusting, 5435½ South Figueroa, owner and builder; $3500.

Clement Fischer, 5740 Angeles Mesa Drive, owner and builder; $3000.

C. D. Hall, 1115 Mohawk, owner and builder; $18,000.

Mrs. M. Anderson, 1169 West Thirty-eighth, owner; Sever & Son, builders; $4500.

Mrs. Rosie Mesloh, 1111 East Twenty-second, owner; Max Soeger, builder; $3500.

Business structure:

Peter A. L. Hooper, 294 East J street, Wilmington, owner; C. O. Rowe, builder; $6000.

G. R. Vennar, 1421-1447 Amelia, owner; B. Chatt, builder; $45,000. Isadore Hirsson, 1629 Pixley, owner; Fell & Verge, builders; $16,000.

Bungalow court, G. R. Vennar, 208 Lees Drive, owner; B. Chatt, builder; $10,000. 1440 Amelia, $7500.

Laundry, Domestic Laundry Service, Inc., 1902 West Eleventh, owners and builders; $7000.

Library, City of Los Angeles, 2420 University, owners; Willard-Nichols, builders; $7500.

Office building, Joe Tepitzky, 1613 South Los Angeles, owner; J. A. Kemp, builders; $13,000.

Weymouth-Crowell Company, 2104 East Fifteenth, owners and builders; $17,000.

Apartments, Ida C. Hauser, 1411 Amelia, owner; T. R. Morrison, builder; $40,000.

Public garage, Phillip L. Ridly Company, 2301 Santa Fe, owner; W. P. Gilbert, builder; $16,000.

CALIFORNIA BEAN MARKET

Following are the selling prices for dried beans for 100 pounds in sacksds f.o.b. California common selling points, as quoted yesterday by the California Bean Growers' Association: Large whites, 7.50; small whites, 7.75; pinks, 6.50; Mexican reds, 5.75; red kidneys, 7.50; Hamburgs, 11.65; cranberry beans, 7.75; bayos, 7.50; blackeye beans, 5.65.

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FEDERAL RESERVE WEEKLY STATEMENT

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Combined resources and liabilities of the twelve Federal reserve banks at the close of business January 31 were reported tonight by the Federal Reserve Board in thousands of dollars as follows:

RESOURCES

Gold and gold certificates, $382,886.
Gold settlement fund, Federal Reserve Board, $561,402.
Total gold held by banks, $944,802.
Gold with Federal Reserve agents, $9,370,871.
Gold redemption fund, $47,805.
Total gold reserves, $1,078,418.
Reserves other than gold, $121,888.
Total reserves, $1,207,145.
Nonreserve cash, $54,488.
Bills discounted:
Secured by United States government obligations, $377,622.
Other bills discounted, $219,782.
Bills bought in open market, $155,994.
Total bills on hand, $753,317.
United States bonds and notes, $183,928.
United States certificates of indebtedness, $196,782.
Municipal warrants:
Total earning assets, $1,139,955.
Bank premises, $46,671.
Five per cent redemption fund against Federal Reserve bank notes, $211.
Uncollected items, $1,530,428.
All other resources, $5,186.
Total resources, $3,017,866.

LIABILITIES

Capital paid in, $107,952.
Surplus, $218,580.
Deposits:
Government, $46,014.
Member bank reserve account, $1,913,466.
Other deposits, $81,402.
Total deposits, $1,991,502.
*Federal Reserve bank notes in actual circulation $2,283,791.
**Federal Reserve bank notes in circulation, net liabilities, $3,105.
Deferred availability items, $670,551.
All other liabilities, $10,040.
Total liabilities, $5,012,546.
Ratio of total reserves to deposits and Federal Reserve note liabilities combined, 78.9 per cent.

CALIFORNIA HIDE MARKET

Quotations furnished by California Hide Corporation for stock delivered to its warehouse, 1040 Santa Fe avenue. Receipts from the interior for the twenty-four hours ending at 10 a.m. yesterday were: 302 hides, 196 pelts, 30,000 pounds tallow.

Green salted hides: No. 1 steers, 18½ per lb.; No. 1 cows, 16½ per lb.; No. 1 bulls, 6½ per lb.; No. 2 hides, 1½ less per lb.; grubby hides, 1½ less per lb.; bunker hides, 1 less per lb.; glue hides, 4 per lb.; No. 1 horse hides, over 50 lbs., 2.50 each; No. 1 horse hides, 45 to 50 lbs., 2.00 each; No. 1 horse hides, 30 to 40 lbs., 1.50 each.

Green hides: No. 1 steers, 20 per lb.; No. 1 cows, 18½ per lb.; No. 1 bulls, 8 per lb.; No. 2 hides, 2½ less per lb.; bunker hides, 1 less per lb.

Calfskins and kipskins: No. 1 calfskins, under 15 lbs., 24 per lb.; No. 2 calfskins, under 15 lbs., 18 per lb.; No. 1 kips, 15 to 30 lbs., 15 per lb.; No. 1 kips, 15 to 30 lbs., 11 per lb.; grubby skins, 1½ less per lb.; bunker skins, 1 less per lb.; glue skins, 3 per lb.; shanks, 10 @10 each.

Dry salted hides: No. 1 hides, 16 lbs. and up, 16 per lb.; No. 1 kips, 6 to 15 lbs., 16½ per lb.; No. 1 calfskins, under 6 lbs., 17 per lb.; No. 2 hides and skins, 2 less per lb.; glue calf, 4, 2 per lb.; glue hide and skins, 8 per lb.

Pelts: Large, long wool, 2.50 each and up; medium, 1.50@2.00 each; short wool and shearlings, 75@1.00 each.

Horsehair: No. 1 summer, 16@22 each; No. 2, 8@10 each; badly damaged and small hide, 2 each.

Tallow: Tankage, 7½ per lb.; No. 1, 7 per lb.; No. 2, 6½ per lb.

Wool: According to quality and condition, 20 per lb. and up.

DAILY TRADE TALK

Rival Petroleum Distributors Clear Decks for Action; New Freight Rate Reductions

Forecasting active competition between the petroleum marketing companies operating in this part of the State, the Shell Company of California is engaged on a program of expansion that includes the acquisition of over fifty station sites in Los Angeles, the construction of storage tanks and service stations in twelve cities located in Southern California, the commencement of actual construction on a refinery at Wilmington to cost over $2,000,000 and the laying of standard pipe lines from the oil fields to the refinery, and from there to the harbor, all of which will involve expenditures of from $15,000,000 to $20,000,000.

Confirmation of these developments came yesterday from J. C. Wheeler, district manager, who declared that concerted efforts were being made to increase marketing facilities of the company in order to properly distribute the growing quantity of refined products resulting from the large crude-oil production from Shell wells in Southern California oil fields.

The institution of the expansion program brings the Shell Company of California in sharp conflict with leading marketing companies already established in the field, especially Union Oil of California, Standard Oil of California, Associated Oil, and various other concerns having numerous service stations and distributing facilities. The competition with Union of California is especially significant because of the fact that the Shell Union Oil Company, controlling the Shell Company of California, owns 26.17 per cent of the stock of the Union Oil Company.

Aside from Los Angeles, the cities in which the Shell company has acquired sites for service stations and storage tanks are Santa Barbara, Ventura, Santa Monica, San Fernando, Long Beach, Santa Ana, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Pedro, Chino, San Juan Capistrano and Oceanside. It is expected that a number of other cities will be included in the course of the expansion schedule. In addition to the present projected sites in Los Angeles and adjacent territory, the Shell company has the stations formerly operated by the Puente Oil Company, which was purchased by the Shell Company of California over eighteen months ago.

Production from the Shell wells now is running at 65,000 barrels daily in Southern California, a figure which places the company as the second greatest producing company in California and third in the United States, according to claims made by Shell officials. As compared with January, 1922, the increase is 49,000 barrels, and has been running over 30,000 since early last summer. The company has 172 producing wells in Southern California fields, and has fifty-four wells being drilled. Approximately 65 per cent of the production is in Signal Hill, which the Shell company pioneered.

The refinery at Wilmington is being constructed on the unit plan, the first of which will have a capacity of 15,000 barrels daily. Oil will be brought to the refinery by pipe lines from Signal Hill, Huntington Beach and Olinda. A large part of the company's crude and refined products is marketed in foreign countries, and during the present year the schedule calls for the loading of eighty-four ships owned by Shell interests and destined for foreign ports.

LOWER FREIGHT RATES

Continuing its policy of reducing freight rates from Chicago and points west to the Pacific Coast, the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway yesterday announced through H. F. Anewalt, general freight agent, decreases on certain commodities ranging from 77 cents to 5 cents per hundred pounds. The new schedule is effective March 14, and is part of the general movement instituted by western lines to bring the manufacturers in the territory contiguous to Chicago in a more favorable competitive position with Atlantic seaboard manufacturers in Pacific Coast markets.

The shipping points to which the rates apply are in the freight districts designated as Chicago and immediate vicinity, Mississippi River Valley, Missouri River, intermediate territory from Colorado to the Missouri River and Colorado. These districts include practically all of the territory west of Chicago to the Sierra Nevada Mountains.

Commodities to which the reduced rates are applicable comprise tin plate, phosphate of lime, baking powder, saleratus, pianos, organs, glucose, corn syrup, etc. The tin-plate shipments originate chiefly in the Chicago district; phosphate of lime in Chicago, St. Louis and Kansas City; baking powder and saleratus from the same points; pianos and organs from Chicago, and glucose, corn syrup, etc., from Iowa and Illinois.

Pacific Coast markets are growing considerably as important centers of consumption of manufactured goods, and because of cheap water rates, Atlantic seaboard manufacturers are able to land goods here at favorable rates compared with the rail rates heretofore prevailing for shipments from the middle western points.

MUNICIPAL BONDS

Municipal bonds amounting to $1,256,764,229 were issued by States, cities and other political subdivisions of the United States in 1922, according to B. H. Graham of Blyth, Witter & Co.

This large amount of bonds, all of which are tax-exempt, exceeds the total issues of all railroads and industrial corporations, and is nearly twice the amount of the total public utility issues for the same period.

Despite this huge total of tax-exempt bonds placed on the market during the past year, it is more than $100,000,000 less than the amount issued by municipalities in 1921, when the total reached $1,352,265,000.

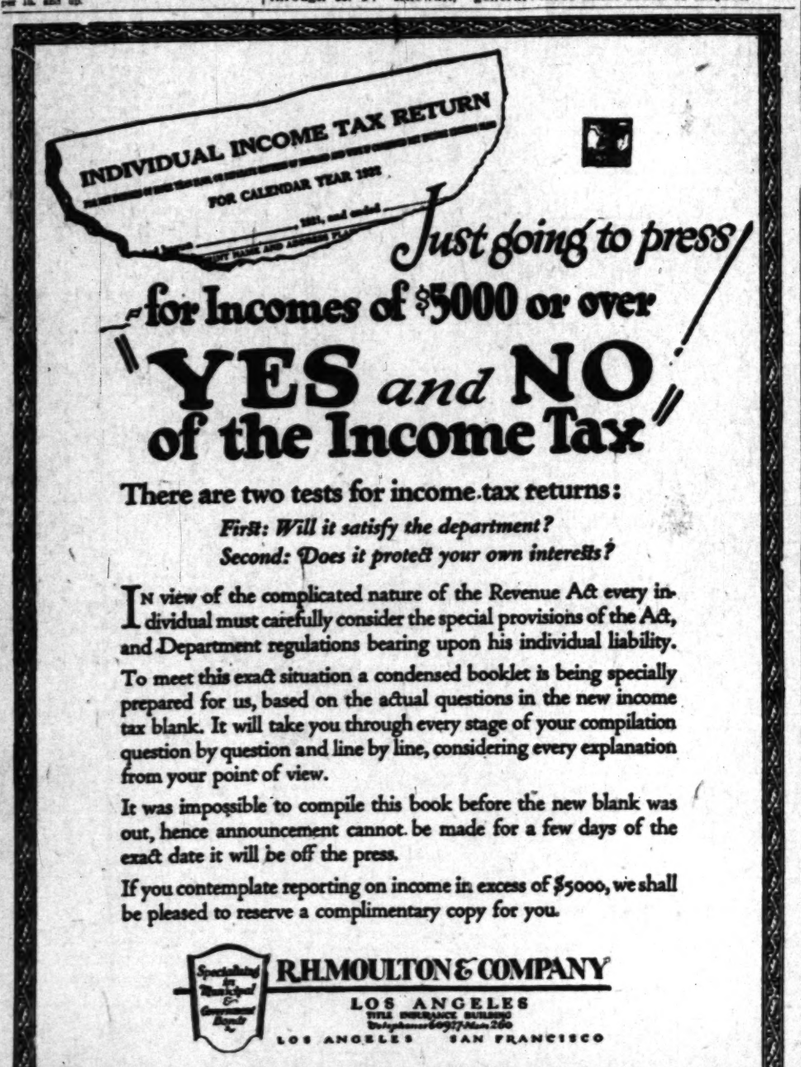
According to statistics compiled by the Wall Street Journal, the total issues of municipal bonds for the past twelve years amount to $7,536,381,336.

Assuming that these bonds have an average interest rate of 4½ per cent, this means that there is an annual income of $339,052,659, which is free from all taxes. A substantial portion of these securities is held by persons of large incomes subject to heavy surtaxes, and Mr. Graham thinks it is safe to assume that the Federal government alone loses about $50,000,000 annually in income taxes.

NEW LISTINGS

Trading began yesterday on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange in Southern California Edison 7 per cent preferred. The authorized amount of the issue is $36,000,000, of which $5,219,000 is outstanding. The dividend is payable 1st March, June, September and December.

Yellow Dog Mining Company stock will be called February 5, the application for listing having passed the listing committee and received the approval of the board of governors a short time ago. Authorized common stock totals $1,500,000 with a par value of $1. Stock outstanding amounts to $599,995. The property is located three miles south of Mojave.



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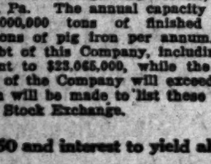

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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

NEW YORK, Feb. 1. — Little progress was made by today's stock market, which seemed to be marking time pending more definite developments in the domestic business and foreign political and economic situations. Prices generally moved within narrow and irregular limits with the professionals doing most of the trading, and the so-called outsiders showing no disposition to either buy or sell at present prices.

Some selling took place at the start in response to another break in the Durant Motors and related issues, but it was confined principally to the motors, chemicals and a few specialties. Continued heaviness of continental exchange and a higher renewal rate for call money influenced bearish sentiment, but the shorts brought out comparatively little stock, and sufficient buying support was forthcoming to steady the list. Trading was dull on the rally.

Acute weakness of Fisher Body was again one of the features. This stock dropped to 150, as against this year's high of 212¾, and then rallied to 153¾, where it was off 7¾ on the day. Durant stocks on the curb also were depressed. In the reaction which followed this break, Chandler dropped to 67¾, Studebaker to 118¼ and Stromberg to 63¾, the first two making up the loss and the last-named closing at its low price for a net loss of 2¼ points. Two conflicting movements took place in the last hour, Moon Motors rising to 20 for a net gain of 1¼, and Maxwell A breaking 2¾ points to 44. Strength of Moon motors reflected the absorption of a block of 12,000 shares, which have been overhanging the market and which changed hands at 19.

There were a few conspicuous strong spots in the industrial and specialty lists. Brooklyn Union Gas continued its rise to higher ground, gaining 2¼ points on publication of a statement showing net income for 1922 of $9,660,631 after taxes and charges, and exclusive of earnings of subsidiaries, as compared with a deficit of $4,570,027 in 1921. Phillips Petroleum also gained 2¼ points on official denial of reports that new financing was contemplated. Associated Oil was pushed up 2¾ points.

Announcement of another increase of 25 cents a barrel in Pennsylvania crude oil prices and an increase of 10 cents a barrel in the price of bunker fuel oil in New York Harbor were the principal items of trade news. Owens Bottle was quite active on overnight action of an extra dividend of 25 cents, the stock closing a point higher on total transactions exceeding 25,000 shares.

Electric stocks were again among the most prominent of the standard shares, General Electric rising nearly 3 points and Westinghouse 1 on reports of higher earnings.

Pressed Steel Car yielded readily to selling pressure, dropping 3 points. United Retail Stores was supplied freely on publication of a statement showing a large decrease in earnings.

Trading in rails was sluggish, a few dividend-paying issues showing signs of heaviness, notably Louisville and Nashville, off 2½; "Nickel Plate" first preferred off 1¼, and Reading first preferred off 1.

Call money opened at 4½ per cent and then advanced to 5. Time money rates were unchanged at 4½ bid and 4¾ asked, with a few long term loans being arranged at the higher figure, and some shorter maturities reported at 4¾. Interior institutions are making more inquiries for commercial paper, the bulk of the best names going at 4¼.

Demand sterling advanced nearly 1 cent to 4.66, but the continental exchanges were slightly reactionary, French francs again selling under 6 cents.

The day's total sales were 545,990 shares. Twenty industrials averaged 97.71; net gain, .26; high, 1923, 99.42; low, 96.96. Twenty railroads averaged 86.08; net loss, .18; high, 1923, 87.20; low, 84.52.

York Stock Exchange, 643 South Spring street.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Following are the closing prices, sales, high and low quotations today:

Sales.	Stocks—	High.	Low.	Bid.	Net change.
100	Adams Express	71	70	69½	-1½
100	Ajax Rubber	13	12½	12½	-½
	Alaska Gold	¼	¼	¼	
900	Allied Chemical	73	72	73¼	+1½
900	Allis Chalmers	46½	46	45½	-½
300	Am. Agr. Chem.	30½	30½	30½	-½
100	Am. Beet Sugar	38	38	38	
10,100	Am. Can	82¾	82¾	81½	+½
100	Am. Car & Fdy.	178	178	178	-1
700	Do. pfd			125	
100	Am. Cotton Oil	16½	15½	15½	-½
100	Am. Hide & L.	11½	11½	11½	-½
100	Do. pfd	67½	67½	67	
100	Am. Ice	59½	59½	59½	-½
1,900	Am. Int'l Corp.	25½	24½	24¾	+½
1,900	Am. Locomotive	122	120¾	121	-1
200	Do. pfd	121	121	121	+1
600	Am. Radiator	81	80	80	
200	Am. Safety Razor	8	8	7¾	-¼
500	Am. Ship & C.	18¼	18¼	18¼	-½
2,500	Am. Smelting	87¾	86	86¾	+½
300	Do. pfd			99½	
1,700	Am. Steel Fdy.	38½	38½	38	
600	Am. Sugar	77½	76½	77½	+1
1,100	Am. Sumatra	28	24½	25	-1½
1,500	Am. Tel. & Tel.	122	121¾	121¾	
600	Am. Woolen	95½	93	93	+½
4,400	Anaconda	47½	47½	47½	-½
700	Associated Oil	125½	123	123½	-½
600	Atchison	103½	103½	103½	-½
200	Do. pfd	89½	89½	89¼	-½
100	Atl. Coast Line	115½	115	115	+½
100	Atlantic Gulf	19¼	19¼	19½	
100	Austin Nichols	32	32	31½	
29,000	Baldwin Loco.	131½	129½	130¾	-½
3,700	B. & O.	47¼	46¾	46¾	+½
1,800	Beth. Steel "B"	82	81½	82	+½
300	Brooklyn R. T.	11½	11½	11½	
8,100	Burns Bros.	140	140	139	-1
4,800	Butte C. & Z.	10½	10½	10½	+½
900	Cal. Packers	81	80½	80¾	+½
2,300	Cal. Petroleum	78¼	77½	77¾	
500	Do. pfd	95½	95	95	-½
400	Cal. Fire & Land	97	97	97	
400	Canadian Pacific	143¼	142½	143½	
700	Central Leather	33½	33½	33¾	+½
900	Do. pfd	79½	79½	79	
300	Cerro de Pasco	43	43	43¾	
5,600	Chandler Motors	67	65½	66	-1½
200	Ches. & Ohio	74¾	74¾	74½	
1,500	Chicago & E. Ill.	31	30	31½	+2½
500	Do. pfd	54½	54½	54½	+2½
400	C. & N. W.	87	86½	86¾	+½
600	C. & N. W.	87½	87¼	87¾	
	Do. pfd	77½	77½	77½	
1,300	C. M. & St. P.	23½	23	23	-½
700	Do. pfd	37½	37	37½	+½
1,000	C. R. I. & P.	34¾	34¾	34¾	+½
100	Do. 6s B.	82	82	81½	+1½
8,500	Chile Copper	39½	39½	39¾	+½
600	Chile Copper	39	39	39	+½
900	Chost. Peabody	37	36½	36¾	+½
4,100	Com. Cals	75	74½	74½	+½
1,100	Columbia Gas	108½	107½	107½	-1
1,300	Columbia Graph.	25½	25½	25½	
100	Cons. Cigars	85½	85	85	
2,600	Cons. Gas new	97½	96½	97	+½
5,100	Cons. Textile	11	10½	11	
900	Cont'l Can new	49½	48½	48¾	-1
17,100	Cuba Products	133½	127½	128½	+1½
1,300	Cuban Cane Sugar	12½	12½	12½	+½
1,800	Crucible Steel	71½	70½	71½	+½
1,200	Cuba Am. Sugar	25½	25½	25½	+½
1,800	Cuba Cane Sugar	24½	24	24½	+½
2,800	Do. pfd	89½	89	89½	+½
400	Davison Chemical	39½	38	38½	-½
200	Dome Mines	40	39½	39½	
400	Eastman Kodak	93½	92½	93½	
400	Elkhorn	17½	16½	16½	-½
1,400	Electric Battery	25½	24	24½	-½
1,400	Erie Johnson	13	12½	12½	-½
700	Do. 1st pfd	17½	17½	17½	+½
400	F. P. Lasky	65	64	64½	+½
	Do. pfd	94½	94½	94½	
2,000	Fisher Body	153	150	152	-1
700	Fisk Tire	14½	14½	14¾	
2,000	Freeport Texas	19½	19½	19¾	+¼
6,100	Gen. Asphalt	43½	41½	42¾	+1½
400	Gen. Cigar Co.	65½	65½	65½	+½
5,700	Gen. Electric	167½	164½	165¾	+3½
24,600	Gen. Motors	13½	13½	13¾	+½
300	Goodrich	33½	33½	33½	+½
100	Goldberg	6	6	6	
400	Great Nor. Ore	29½	28½	29	+½
100	Great Nor. pfd	74½	74½	74½	+½
200	Greene Cananea	23½	23½	23½	
1,300	Gulf States Steel	72½	71½	71½	+½
100	Houston Oil	72	71½	71½	+½
400	Hupp Motors	24	23½	23½	-½
100	Hudson Motors	33	33	33	
100	Interboro Cons.	¼	¼	¼	
	Do. pfd	3	3	3	
1,200	Int'l Cement	39½	39½	39½	
200	Int'l Harv.	89½	89½	89½	+½
100	Int'l Harv. Marine	9½	9½	9½	+½
1,100	Do. pfd	88	87½	87½	+½
1,000	Int'l Nickel	16½	16½	16½	+½
1,000	Int'l Paper	59½	59½	59½	-½
2,500	Invs. Oil	19½	19½	19½	-½
700	K. C. Southern	21½	21½	21½	-½
1,400	Kelly Springfield	48¾	47½	48¾	+½
1,200	Kennecott	36½	36½		
100	Keystone Tire	9½	9½		
100	Lehigh Valley	69½	68	68½	-½
1,200	Lima Locomotive	64½	63½	63½	-½
100	Liggett & Myers	118½	118½	118½	
100	Lorillard	104¾	104¾	104¾	
8,800	Mack Trucks	135½	134½	135	+½
100	Mother Lode C.	11½	11½	11½	+½
8,800	Maxwell "B"	23½	23½	23½	+½
100	Market St. Ry.	33½	33½	33½	
	Do. 2nd pfd.	21½	21½	20	-1
100	Martin Parry	27½	27½	28	+½
100	Mexican Pet.	17½	17½	17½	+½
100	May Stores	73½	72½	72½	+½
200	Mexican Seaboard	19½	19½	19½	+½
100	Mid-Cal	20½	20½	20½	+½
4,800	Middle States Oil	11½	11¼	11½	
400	Midvale Steel	27½	27	27	
400	N. Y. Air Brake	33½	33½	33½	+½
200	Do. pfd	97½	97½	97½	+½
200	Missouri Pacific	17	16½	16½	
1,100	Do. pfd	45½	44½	45½	+½
400	Montana Power	60	60	60	-½
900	Mont. Ward	21½	21½	21½	
400	Moffitt's Duby	24	24	23	
4,000	Nat'l Biscuit new	99½	98½	98½	
100	Nat'l Enamel	67	67	66½	-½
200	Nat'l Ry. Mex. 2nd pfd	3½	3½	3½	+½
800	Nevada Con.	14½	14½	14½	
100	N. Y. Air Brake	27	27	27	
1,800	N. Y. Central	93½	93½	93¾	+½
2,000	N. Y. N. H. & H.	21½	20½	21½	+½
200	N. Y. O. & W.	26	25	25½	-½
100	Norfolk & West	112½	112½	112½	-½
800	North American	102½	101½	102	+½
700	Northern Pacific	75	74½	74½	+½
100	Oklahoma Prod.	23½	23½	23½	
400	Orpheum	18½	18½	18½	-½
400	Otis Steel	9	8½	8½	
14,400	Owens Bottle	45½	43½	44	+1½
400	Pacific G. & E.	79½	79	79½	+½
4,000	Pacific Oil	43	42½	42¾	+½
5,000	Pan-Am. Oil	67½	66½	66½	+½
4,500	Do. "B"	65½	64½	64½	+½
1,700	Penn. R. R.	40½	40½	40	-½
1,000	Penn. G. & E.	3½	3½	3¾	+¼
4,600	People's Gas	80½	80	80	
2,400	Pere Marquette	38	37½	37½	+½
15,800	Phillips Petrol.	84½	81	83½	+2½
2,000	Pierce Arrow	12	11½	12	+½
300	Pierce Oil	4½	4½	4	
900	Pittsburg Coal	81	80½	81	+½
1,600	Pitts. & W. Va.	37¼	36½	37	+½
200	Pond Creek Coal	41	41	41	+½
100	Pontiac	127	127	126	
100	Do. pfd	113	113	112	-1
800	Pressed Steel Car	64	63	62	-2
5,000	Producers & Ref.	50	49½	49¾	
2,000	Punta Alegre	47½	46½	46¾	+½
1,800	Pure Oil	27¾	27¼	27½	+½
300	Ry. Steel Spring	110	110	109	-3
100	Do. pfd			115	
870	Ray Cons.	13½	13½	13½	-½
2,500	Reading	77½	76½	76¾	
100	Remington Type	38½	38½	38	
1,600	Replogle Steel	35½	34½	34¾	-½
1,100	Republic I. & S.	47½	47	47½	+½
5,100	Reynolds Tob. B.	55¼	54½	54½	-½
1,800	Royal Dutch	43	42½	42½	+1
400	St. L. & S. F.	23½	23½	23½	
200	Do. pfd	47½	41	41	-½
1,200	St. L. S. W.	32	32	32	-½
700	Do. pfd	58	57½	57½	
300	Sears-Roebuck	85½	85	85	
2,600	Shattuck Oil	22½	22	22	+½
1,100	Shutty Oil	11½	11		
200	Sloss Sheffield	46	46	46	-1
1,700	Southern Pacific	90½	90½	90	+½
7,500	Southern Railway	28½	28	28	+½
200	Do. pfd	87½	86½	86½	
2,700	Standard Oil Cal.	36½	35½	36	+½
7,100	Std. Oil N. J.	26½	26½	26½	+½
400	Sterling Prod.	61½	61½	61½	+½
1,400	Stewart-Warner	28½	28	28	-½
500	Stromberg	65	63½	64½	+½
23,600	Studebaker	118½	113½	114½	+½
1,000	Timken Bearings	35½	35	35½	
700	Texas Gulf Sul.	31½	29½	30	
1,400	Texas Oil	47½	47½	47½	+½
800	Texas Pacific	23	21½	21½	+½
2,100	Tex. P. C. & O.	23½	21½	21½	+½
1,500	Tobacco Products	29½	29½	29½	+½
800	Trans. Cont. Oil	11½	11½	11	
2,100	Tob. Prod. A	78½	78½	78½	-½
	Shell Union	15½	15½	15	-½
1,300	Union Pacific	137½	137	137	
800	Do. pfd	75½	75	75	
200	United Fruit	85	85	85	+½
300	United Profit	109	139½	139¾	+½
5,900	Un. Retail Stores	66½	64½	65	-2½
100	U. S. C. I. P.	78	78	78	+½
2,300	U. S. Ind. Alcohol	64½	64½	64½	+½
100	U. S. Realty	89½	89½	89	
4,100	U. S. Rubber	37½	37½	37½	-½
	Do. pfd	101½	101½	101	
200	U. S. S. & R.	35	35	35	
14,100	U. S. Steel	104½	101½	102¾	-½
2,300	Do. pfd	120	119½	120	+½
200	Utah Copper	61	60	62½	+½
1,400	Vanadium Steel	35½	35½	34½	-½
200	Va.-Car. Chem.	34	33½	33½	-½
1,600	Vivendee	18½	18½	18½	-½
200	Wabash	6½	6½	6½	
1,200	Do. pfd "A"	27½	27½	27½	
300	Wells-Farco Ex.	95½	95½	95	-½
700	Western Md.	11½	11½	11½	-½
100	W. U. Tel.	115½	115½	115½	-½
10,700	Westinghouse El.	65½	62	63½	+1½
200	W. A. L. F.	9	9	9½	-½
700	White Forts	27	26½	26½	-½
200	White Motors	31½	31	31½	-½
600	Wills Oil	3½	3	3	-½
800	Willys pfd	46	44½	45	

Notes—Highest, 4% per cent; lowest, 3 per cent; closing bid, 4½ per cent; previous close, 5 per cent.
Total sales of stocks—972,600 shares.
Total sales of bonds—$10,647,000.

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METAL MARKETS

Market Review
[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CLEVELAND (O.) Feb. 1.—Daily Metal Trade today says eastern steel mills are urged by western buyers to accept tonnages of plates, beams and bars at advancing prices as westage mills are filled. Connellsville and Wise county coke markets are firmer since deliveries are limited by car supply. Copper is firm at New York at 15c. Lead market still is complicated with sales at 8.15c, and zinc is steady at 7.15c, St. Louis. Tin is firm at 43c.

NEW ISSUE

$5,000,000

National Department Stores, Inc.

7% Cumulative First Preferred Stock

Preferred as to both Assets and Dividends

Dividends payable February 1, May 1, August 1 and November 1

Redeemable at the option of the Corporation at $115 per share and accrued dividend

CAPITALIZATION

	AUTHORIZED	OUTSTANDING
First Preferred Stock 7% Cumulative (par $100)	$10,000,000	$5,000,000
Second Preferred Stock 7% Cumulative (par $100) (Convertible into Common Stock at $100 per share on or before January 1, 1929)	7,500,000	3,300,000
Common Stock (shares of no par value)	725,000 shares	300,000 shares

For information regarding National Department Stores, Inc., and its First Preferred Stock, we refer to a letter dated Jan. 31, 1923, from Mr. Victor W. Sincere, President, some of the statements of which he has briefly summarized as follows:

HISTORY: National Department Stores, Inc., will acquire the assets and business of the following old established concerns, operating modern department stores: The Bailey Company (Cleveland); The Rosenbaum Company (Pittsburgh); B. Nugent & Bro. Dry Goods Co., (St. Louis); Geo. E. Stifel Co., (Wheeling) and Geo. R. Taylor Co., (Wheeling).

The business of these concerns was established at various dates back to 1847 and they now rank among the leading department stores in their communities, with combined sales for the twelve months ended January 31, 1923 (one month estimated) of over $33,000,000.

NET PROFITS—Combined sales and net profits of the above mentioned companies, as certified by Messrs. Ernst and Ernst, Certified Public Accountants, have been as follows:

Year ended	Sales	Net profits after deducting Federal taxes computed at 1923 rates
January 31, 1918	$17,931,173	$1,058,135
January 31, 1919	20,899,145	1,288,141
January 31, 1920	29,243,950	2,152,543
January 31, 1921	39,981,093	1,181,987
January 31, 1922	32,663,263	934,467
December 31, 1922 (11 months)	30,484,532	1,935,560

Net profits as above for five years and eleven months ended December 31, 1922, averaged $1,445,211 per annum or 4.12 times annual dividend requirements on First Preferred Stock outstanding and for the eleven months ended December 31, 1922, were at the annual rate of $2,111,520, or more than 6 times such annual dividend requirements.

ASSETS: Combined total net assets of the constituent units on December 31, 1922 (exclusive of good will, trade marks and leaseholds) based on recent appraisal by American Appraisal Company and independent local appraisers, and certified by Messrs. Ernst & Ernst, Certified Public Accountants, aggregate $13,339,000 or the equivalent of $266 per share on the First Preferred Stock. Combined net quick assets alone on that date amounted to $6,374,204.

The foregoing figures make no allowance for the immense value of good will created over a period of years, nor for advantageous leasehold interests certified by independent appraisers at an aggregate value in excess of $2,000,000.

SINKING FUND: A cumulative sinking fund for the purchase or redemption of First Preferred Stock at not exceeding $115 per share and accrued dividends is to be created by setting aside semi-annually from profits on February 1 and August 1, commencing with February 1, 1924, a sum equal to 1½% of the greatest amount of first preferred stock theretofore issued, that is at the rate of 3% per annum.

GENERAL: The stores are admirably located in four important growing cities and serve, including surrounding towns, a population estimated at 4,400,000. Aggregate floor space of all stores is approximately 1,000,000 square feet, and aggregate number of employees is about 4000. The management of each unit will continue the same as heretofore. The combined ownership will make possible purchases in large quantities and the unification of sales and advertising policies, etc., which should result in substantially enlarged volume of sales and increase profits. Mr. L. A. Behr is Chairman of the Board and Mr. Victor W. Sincere is President of the Corporation.

It is expected that application will be made to list the stocks of the corporation on the New York Stock Exchange. Interim receipts or temporary certificates will be deliverable in the first instance. All offerings are made "when, as and if issued and received by us." The legal proceedings in connection with this issue are being passed upon by Messrs. Hornblower, Miller and Garrison and Messrs. Stein and Salant, New York.

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CHICAGO EXCHANGE: PRICES, RANGE, SALES

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

CHICAGO, Feb. 1. — Range and sales on the Chicago Stock Exchange today:

Sales.	Stocks—	High.	Low.	Close.	Previous close.
20	Am. Shipbuilding	69½	69½	69½	70
40	Am. P. & L. pfd.	91½	91	91½	91½
237	Armour pfd.	83¾	83	83¾	83¾
20	Do. of Del.	90¼	90	90	89
175	Armour Leather	9½	9½	9¾	9¾
90	Do. pfd	87	87	87	87
5,305	Berg & Beck	26½	25½	26	25½
200	Booze W. Mills	50½	50	50½	50½
150	C. El. Rys. pfd.	5½	5	5	5½
470	Com. Edison	130	129½	130	130
807	Do. Rts. and	6	5¾	6	6
21,625	Cont'l Motors	10½	9¾	9¾	10½
510	Eddy Paper	29¾	29	29	29½
150	Fair pfd	102¾	102½	102¾	102½
450	Great Lakes Dr.	92	89½	92	89½
425	Howard	23½	23½	23½	23½
23	Ill. S. & M. pfd.	118½	118½	118	118
150	Hartman	92½	92	92	92
210	Hupp Motors	24	23¾	23¾	24
300	Hydrox	21½	21¼	21¼	21¾
460	Libby-McNeil	7¼	7¼	7¼	7½
50	Lindsay Light	3¾	3¾	3¾	4½
60	Midwest Utilities	46½	45½	46½	46½
93	Do. prior lien	102½	102½	102½	102½
975	Mont. Ward	21¾	21½	21¾	21¾
215	Do. A	94½	94	94½	94½
100	Nat'l Leather new	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾
115	Philipsborn	80½	80½	80½	80½
450	Piggly Wiggly A	20½	20½	20½	20½
35	Public Serv. pfd.	96½	96½	96½	95½
40	Do. N. P.	102	101½	102	102
120	Rec Motors	13½	13¾	13¾	13¾
887	Stewart-Warner	28¾	28	28½	28½
170	Swift & Co.	107	106¾	106¾	106¾
420	Swift Int'l	19½	19½	19½	19¾
200	Thompson J.	46½	46½	46½	46½
1,135	Un. Carb. & O.	63	62½	63	62½
75	Un. L. & R.	77	77	77	77½
	Do. 6s std.	78	75½	75½	76½
800	Wahl	34¼	33½	33½	34¾
115	Yellow Mfg. S.	248	246	248	247
820	Yellow Taxi	71¾	71½	71¾	71½

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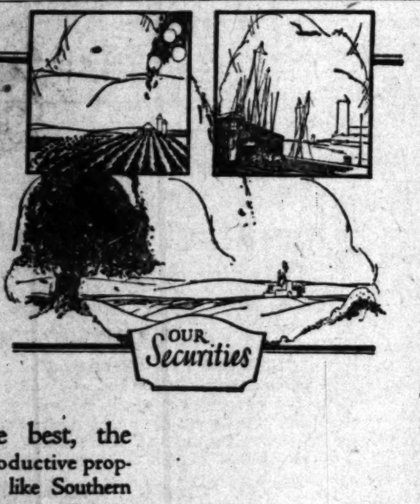

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NEW YORK CURB CLOSE

Pipe Stocks Strong

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Another sharp break in Durant issues and marked strength of the pipe-line stocks featured today's trading on the curb market. More than 30,000 shares of Durant Motors of Delaware changed hands, the closing price of 40 1-8 representing a net loss of 7 5-8 points. Durant of Indiana fluctuated between 14 1-8 and 12 1-8, closing at 13 for a net loss of 1-2. Stutz Motors dropped 2 3-8 in sympathy.

Cumberland Pipe Line was run up from 93 to 108, or 17 points above the previous sales. Crescent Pipe advanced 2 points. Buying of this and other pipe-line shares was based on speculative expectation of higher earnings, one of the first 1923 reports to be made public, that of the Eureka company showing a profit of $12.65 a share, as compared with $8.52 in 1921.

Another increase of 25 cents a barrel in Pennsylvania crude oil prices failed to elicit any response from other oil shares, which moved irregular and fractional limits. Trading in mining shares was confined principally to the cheaper issues.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, 320 South Spring street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Closing quotations:

Sales.	Stocks—	High.	Low.	Bid.
	Industrials—			
1,000	Acme Coal	78	76	78
50	Borden's Milk	118	118	118
200	Brooklyn City R.R.	10	9⅞	10
300	Cent. C. I. Pipe	10¾	10¼	10¾
1,600	Chicago Nipple	4¼	4	4
2,600	Cleveland Auto	20	20½	20½
4,200	Cot Cash Stores	4⅛	3½	4
100	Curtiss Aero	5	5	5
300	Cuyamel Fruit	60½	60	60½
12,100	Durant Motors	47	40½	40¾
8,300	Dx. Ind.	14¼	13¾	14
1,300	Fleischmann W.I.	33½	33¼	33¼
600	Gardner Motors	12¼	12¼	12¼
10	Gillette	227	227	227
400	Gen Asbest Coal	67¾	67¾	67¾
1,000	Goodyear Tire	11	10¾	10¾
200	Gt. Wld.	27	27	27
100	Happy Wheel	87½	87½	87½
200	Hayden Chem.	3	3	3
300	Hudson's Pub.	16	16	16
100	Marconi Wireless	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
1,300	Mercer Motors	3½	3½	3½
600	Dx. Vt. Cts.	2½	2½	2½
300	Nat. Supply Co.	54	54	54
200	New Fiction Publishing	7¼	7¼	7¼
28	N. J. Zinc	171½	170	170
300	Packard Motors	73	73	73
200	Phil. Morris	18	18	18
100	Phoenix Hosiery	42	42	42
100	Prima Radio	55	55	55
600	Radio Corpn.	3½	3½	3½
500	Dx. pfd.	7½	7½	7½
100	Rex Motor Truck	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝
500	Rispetti Candy	1¾	1¾	1¾
100	So. Coal and Iron	23	23	23
670	Stutz	103	99	99
50	Swift	108	108	108
200	Tenkahoe Prods.	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝
100	Timken Det. Axle W.I.	1½	1½	1½
300	Tob. Prods. Exp.	5	5	5
2,100	U. S. Lite and Heat	1¾	1¾	1¾
300	Unit. Pft. Sirs. (new)	9¾	9¾	9¾
300	Unl. Ret. Candy	5	5	5
	Independent Oils—			
300	Barnsdall Wyo.	1	1	1
1,000	Caribou	4¾	4¾	4¾
165	City Svc.	179	179	179
2,000	Dx. Pfd. Ctfs.	17⅞	17⅞	17⅞
150	Dx. pfd.	68	68	68
900	Creole Synd.	4	4	4
1,400	Engr. Pete.	28	28	28
600	Federal Pete.	65	65	65
1,300	Gilliland Oil	4¾	4¾	4¾
2,300	Glenrock	7-16	7-16	7-16
700	Gulf Oil	50¾	50	50¾
100	Harris Cons.	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
2,000	Hudson Oil	13	13	13
2,500	Int. Pete.	20¾	20	20¾
2,000	Keystone Ranger	31	31	31
100	Kirby Pete.	9	9	9
100	Latin-Am. Oil	72	72	72
100	Livingstone Pete.	65	65	65
100	Lowry Oil	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
500	Lyons Pete.	90	90	90
120	Magnolia Pete.	162	162	162
570	Mammoth Oil	24½	23⅞	24½
5,000	Marmaduke Refg. Rts. C.	40	20	20
400	Dx. Oil	12	12	12
1,000	Midland Oil Mex.	2¾	2¾	2¾
100	Mexican Eagle	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝
12,000	Mexico Oil	1 3-16	1⅛	1⅛
500	Midwest Texas Oil	10	10	10
2,000	Mountain Prods.	10¾	10¾	10¾
3,700	Mutual Oil Rites	12⅝	12½	12½
100	N. M. & L. Co.	3¼	3¼	3¼
5,000	Noble Oil	20	20	20
900	Omar Oil	1	1	1
200	Penn. Beaver	3	3	3
200	Pet. Securities	11¾	10¾	10¾
1,100	Red Bank Oil	15	15	15
100	Ryan Cons.	4¾	4¾	4¾
1,000	Salt Creek	20¾	20½	20½
200	Dx. Cons.	10½	10½	10½
700	Seaboard Oil and Gas	3¾	3¾	3¾
10,000	So. Pete. and Rfg.	8	8	8
5,000	So. States Oil	15	15	15
5,500	Wilcox Oil	9¾	9¾	9¾
	Mining—			
6,000	Big Ledge	1	1	1
1,000	Bima Gold	25	23	25
2,500	Dest. & Mont. Copper	10	10	10
1,700	Calaveras	2¾	2¾	2¾
17,900	Candelaria Mining	24	21	27
1,000	Cash Boy	2¼	2¼	2¼
100	Cons. Ariz.	3	3	3
200	Cons. Copper	3¾	3¾	3¾
600	Cont. Mines	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
3,200	Cortez Silver	1 5-16	1 5-16	1 5-16
8,000	Crankshaft	5	4	4
2,100	Crescent Gold	2¾	2¾	2¾
200	Dean Cons.	71	71	71
1,000	Divide Ext.	11	11	11
2,200	Dryden Gold	72	69	72
20,000	Emma Silver Mining	4	3	3
2,000	Eureka	32	32	32
500	Forbes	33	33	33
1,000	Goldfield Cons.	10	10	10
8,700	Dx. Florence	66	65	66
3,000	Dx. Dre	3	3	3
1,500	Dx. Deep.	20	18	18
880	Gold Coin	63	62	63
6,000	Dx. Jack Pot	46	45	46
5,000	Dx. Dev.	14	14	14
8,000	Hardshell Mining	9	8	9
2,000	Harmill Div. Mining	7	6	6
200	Hecla Mining	8¾	8½	8¾
1,000	Hilltop Mining	1⅝	1 5-16	1⅝
6,000	Ind. Land Mines	32	31	32
2,000	Kewanees Mining	3	3	3
3,500	Lone Star	7	7	7
1,000	Mason Valley	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
5,000	Nat. Tin.	23	22	23
1,000	Nevada Ophir.	17	17	17
700	New Cornelia	18½	17⅝	18½
1,100	New Dominion	3¼	3¼	3¼
5,800	N. Y. Perseplus	38	37	38
1,400	Nipissing	6	5⅞	6
1,000	Ohio Copper	44	44	44
2,000	Ray Hers.	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
7,000	Rex Cons.	6	6	6
3,800	Richmond Copper	28	27	27
3,000	Santoy Mining	3	3	3
7,000	Silver Mines	35	30	32
1,000	Simon Silver	33	33	33
8,000	So. Amn. P. C.	3¼	3¼	3½
200	Sportsmen	9	9	9
1,000	Success Mining	64	64	64
100	Tech. Hughes	88	88	88
1,000	Tonopah No. Star	3	3	3
2,000	Tribollion G. R. D.	8	8	8
2,300	Tuolumne Copper	58	57	57
1,000	U. S. Cont. Mines	19	19	19
2,950	United Eastern	1 13-16	1 13-16	1 13-16
6,000	West End Cons.	1 7-16	1⅜	1⅜

MONEY, EXCHANGE

Local Bank Clearings

Bank clearings yesterday were $18,330,305.72, an increase of $1,964,872.28 over the corresponding day of 1922.

1923.	1922.	1921.
Monday—		
$21,295,749.30	$14,683,342.66	$12,436,547.57
Tuesday—		
$17,730,770.31	$15,136,634.73	$13,474,111.33
Wednesday—		
$18,708,321.76	$14,282,830.04	$14,854,026.64
Thursday—		
$18,330,305.72	$15,324,425.44	$13,598,501.34

Bank Debits

Saturday	$24,242,892
Monday	25,683,119
Tuesday	21,940,691
Wednesday	24,606,494

Foreign Exchange

[Furnished by the Farmers' and Merchants' National Bank.]

	Exchange rate. Over $100
England per pound sterling	4.67
France, per 100 francs	5.05
Germany, per 100 marks	.0030
Belgium, per 100 francs	5.20
Italy, per 100 lire	4.79
Bulgaria, per 100 leva	1.71
Czecho-Slovakia, per 100 kronen	2.93
Denmark, per 100 kroner	19.27
Finland, per 100 finmarks	2.55
Greece, per 100 drachmas	1.25
Holland, per 100 guilders	39.29
Mexico, per 100 pesos	49.40
Norway, per 100 kroner	18.77
Portugal, per 100 escudos	4.85
Rumania, per 100 lei	.48
Serbia, per 100 dinars	.97
Spain, per 100 pesetas	15.79
Sweden, per 100 kroner	26.92
Switzerland, per 100 francs	19.81

Buying rates: Great Britain, sight, 4.64; Canadian, sight, 1.7%.

New York Rates

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NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Foreign exchanges irregular.

Great Britain—Demand, 4.66⅛; cables, 4.66⅝.
Sixty-day bills on banks, 4.61.
France—Demand, 5.02⅛; cables, 5.02.
Italy—Demand, 4.79; cables, 4.73.
Belgium—Demand, 5.11⅛; cables, 5.12.
Germany—Demand, .0024⅛; cables, .0025.
Holland—Demand, 39.15; cables, 39.22.
Norway—Demand, 18.64.
Sweden—Demand, 26.72.
Denmark—Demand, 19.03.
Switzerland—Demand, 19.78.
Spain—Demand, 15.81.
Greece—Demand, 1.19.
Poland—Demand, .0029.
Czecho-Slovakia—Demand, 2.97.
Argentina—Demand, 37.12.
Brazil—Demand, 11.55.
Montreal, .99⅝.

Money Market

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NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Call money firm; high, 5; low, 4½; ruling rate, 4½; closing bid, 5; offered at 5½; last loan, 5; call loans against acceptances, 4½. Time loans firm; mixed collateral, 60-90 days, 4½; 4-6 months, 4½. Prime commercial paper, 4½@4¾.

Bankers' Acceptances

Current rates on acceptances for the respective periods of time as prepared by the National City Company.

	Days—			
	30	60	90	
Prime eligible members	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
Prime nonmembers	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾

Silver Quotations

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Anglo	17½	17⅝	Ist. Pete.	29½	29¾
Berne S.	110	115	Penn. Mex.	17	19
Buckeye	92	93	Prairie Oil	228	228
C'brough	225	235	Prairie P.	109½	110½
Dx. pfd.	111	115	Solar Refg.	180	183
Continental	40	41	S. Pipe	109½	110½
Crescent	46	47	S. P. Oil	173	178
Cum'land	107	110	S. W. P. Oil	70	72
Eureka	105	107	S. Oil Ind.	60¾	61
Galena	59	60	S. Oil Kan.	41¾	42½
Old pfd.	109	111	S. Oil Ky.	81⅞	82½
New pfd.	104	107	S. Oil N. Y.	45¾	46
Ill. Pipe	168	170	S. Oil Ohio	293	296
Ind. Pipe	96	97	Swan & F.	23	30
Nat. Trus.	27¾	28½	Vacuum	43½	43¾
N. Y. Trus.	130	134	Washington	26	29
N. Pipe	105	108	S. Oil Neb.	215	225
Ohio Oil	75½	76½	Imperial	113½	114½

LOS ANGELES EXCHANGE

Heavy buying of Tom Reed yesterday on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange sent the stock to another new high at 1.31, but profit taking near the end of the market brought the closing price down to 1.29, an advance of 17 cents over the previous close. General Petroleum retained its place as the leader of the oil securities, selling at 33⅛.

United Oil was active in the petroleum list, with a considerable volume of sales being reported around 1.04, up 1 cent. United States Royalties at 70 cents was unchanged, and Republic was firm cents and Oatman Combination at 27¼ cents.

Gold Dust was an active stock in the mining group, although the final price was unchanged from the previous day. Gold Ore sold at 6 was taken at 9½ cents.

Southern California Edison was in demand at 104, off ¼ from the closing price of the preceding session.

Following are the closing quotations and sales:

BANK STOCKS

	Bid.	Asked.
California Bank	$275.00	$300.00
Citizens' National Bank	200.00	
Commercial National	200.00	230.00
Dx. National Bank	130.00	
Farmers' & Mer. National	200.00	
First Nat. Bank Bond. Cert.	375.00	380.00
Merchants' National	190.00	205.00
Security Tr. & Sav. Bank	280.00	282.50
Union Bank & Trust Co.	140.00	
U. S. National Bank	150.00	

BOND LIST

(With Accrued Interest)

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil 1st R. 5s '30	97	
Cal. Pac. Sy. 1st M. 5s '41	95	
General Pet. 10-yr. 7s '31	117⅝	118½
H.T.&T.Co. 1st Mtg. 5s '51	91	
L. A. Gas & Elec. 1st 5s '33	91	
L. A. Electric Co. 5s '28	98	
L. A. Gas & Elec. 5s '34	96	
L.A.R.R. Co. 1st Rfd. 7s '28	101½	
L. A. Gas & Elec. 7s '24	101½	
L. A. G.&E. 7s '26, Ser. A	102½	
L. A. G.&E. 7s '31, Ser. B	104	103
Laguna A. 7s '31	100	
L. A. Lighting Co. 5s '24	98	
L. A. Ry. Corp. 1st 5s '49	89½	91
L. A. Pacific 1st Rfd. 5s '40	91	92
L. A. P. 1st R. & R. 5s '50	76	80
L.A.&Pas. El. Ry. 1st Mtg. 5s, 1923	97	97
L. A. Ry. 1st Mtg. 5s '68	89½	89½
L. A. Ry. Corp. 1st R. 5s '49	89½	90
P. E. Ry. 1st Mtg. 5s '42	85	85½
Pacific Gas & Elec. 5s, 1941	102	
Pacific Gas & Elec. 7s, 1936	104½	
P. L. & P. 1st Ref. 5s '42	97½	98½
P. L. & P. 1st Rfd. 5s '51	97½	
Palmer Union Sa. 1931	80	90
P. E. Ry. Ref. 1st Mtg. 5s '55	91	
Pacific Gas & Elec. 5s, 1941	102	
Pacific Gas & Elec. 7s, 1936	104½	
P. L. & P. 1st Ref. 5s '42	97½	98½
P. L. & P. 1st Rfd. 5s '51	97½	
Palmer Union Sa. 1931	80	90
Std. Oil of Cal. 15-yr. 7s '31	104½	
S. C. Gas & Elec. Mtg. 5s '42	101	
S. C. Ed. G. & E. 6s '44	101½	102
So. Cal. Gas 1st Mtg. 5s '60	99½	100½
S. C. Gas & E. 1st 5s '31	101	
S. Co. Gas 1st R. M. 5½s '39	93	
S. Co. Gas Con. 10-y. 5s '30	100½	
Union Oil Dx. 1931	97½	98
Union Oil 5s, 1942	101½	102
U. S. Long Dist. 5s	80	

INDUSTRIAL STOCKS

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Packing Corp.	$ 82.00	$ 83.00
Globe Grain pfd.	99¾	
Dx. com.		76.00
Goodyear T. & R. pfd.	97.75	
Goodyear Tex. Mills	85.00	87.00
L. A. Brewing Co.	80.00	
Sperry Flour pfd.	90.00	
Dx. com.	57.50	
San Diego Co. com.	112.00	
Union Sugar Co.	20.50	22.50

PUBLIC UTILITY STOCKS

	Bid.	Asked.
Home Service com.	$ 35.00	$ 60.00
Pac. Gas & El. 1st pfd.	91.00	91.50
Pac. Gas & El. pfd.	68.00	
Dx. com.	79.00	80.00
Dx. Peripheral pfd.		91.00
San Jos. L. & P. pfd.	90.37½	
Dx. com.	27.50	
Dx. prior pfd.	90.50	100.00
S. Monica Bay H. T. pfd.	92.00	
So. Cal. Ed. orig. pfd.	121.50	124.00
Dx. com.	102.00	104.00
So. Counties Gas pfd.	102.00	109.00
Yellow Taxi	3.75	

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Fotta Farms	$ 18.00	$ 19.00
Central A. Pas. Imp.	.73	1.10
Cons. Realty Co.	45.00	
Home Builders pfd.	.53	
Dx. com.	.53	
L. A. Athletic Club	50.00	
L. A. Investment Co.	11.25	
Laguna L. & W. pfd.	.60	.80
Dx. com.	.50	.90
Occidental Life	120.00	
Pac. Mutual Life	310.00	
Title Guar. & Tr. Co.	350.00	
Title Ins. & Tr. Co.	310.00	

OIL STOCKS

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Oil	$100.00	
Amer. Crude Oil	1.00	
Associated Oil	124.50	127.50
Brookshire Oil		.93
Central	.90	1.00
Continental Oil	.97	
Fullerton Oil	3.50	
General Pet. pfd.	92.00	94.00
Dx. com.	83.00	83.37½
Globe Pet. Co.	.30	.37½
Huntington Central	.02	.03
Jade Oil Co.	.03	.04
Lake View No. 2		1.00
Mascot Oil Co.	1.07	1.10
Merchants Pet. Co.	.10	.14
Midway Northern	.35	.38
Mt. Diablo		.90
National Pet. Oil Co.	.05	.05½
Olinda Land	.13	.19
Palmer Union pfd.	.15	.25

SALES

MORNING SESSION

General Pet.—
20 ..... 33.75
10 ..... 33.87½
100 ..... 33.75
100 ..... 33.62½
20 ..... 33.62½
Globe Pet.—
1,000 ..... .29
1,000 ..... .27
Gold Dust—
1,000 ..... .14½
Gold Ore—
2,500 ..... .07
Goodyear T. & R. pfd.
5 ..... 83.00
1 ..... 83.00
10 ..... 83.00
Lexington Arizona—
500 ..... .15
Nellis Mining—
2,000 ..... .12
1,000 ..... .12
1,000 ..... .12
1,000 ..... .12
Republic Pet.—
2,000 ..... 37½
2,000 ..... 37½
150 ..... 37½
Shell Union—
10 ..... 14.00
San Jos. L. & P. com.
10 ..... 39.00
San Jos. Prior. pfd.
1 ..... 89.00
So. Cal. Edison com.—
1 ..... 104.00
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Sun Diamond—
1,000 ..... .04½
Telluride Mining—
1,000 ..... .29
Transport Oil—
600 ..... .87
Tom Reed—
200 ..... 1.15
100 ..... 1.15
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100 ..... 1.24
100 ..... 1.25
100 ..... 1.25
1,000 S-30 ..... 1.25
500 ..... 1.25
100 ..... 1.27
100 ..... 1.28
200 ..... 1.29
1,000 S-30 ..... 1.30
1,000 S-30 ..... 1.31
Union Oil of Cal.—
40 ..... 109.00
100 ..... 109.00
United American—
1,000 ..... .07½
1,000 ..... .07½
500 ..... .07
500 ..... .07
U. S. Royalties—
1,000 ..... .71
2,000 ..... .71
1,000 ..... .71
United Oil—
1,000 ..... 1.03
500 ..... 1.03
500 ..... 1.03
1,000 ..... 1.04
1,000 ..... 1.05
1,000 ..... 1.03
1,000 ..... 1.04
3,000 ..... 1.04
1,000 ..... 1.03
1,000 ..... 1.04
1,000 ..... 1.04

INFORMALS

Yellow Pine— .79
Unlisted Securities
Yellow Dog—
200 ..... 1.07
100 ..... 1.07

AFTERNOON SESSION

Adams Mining—
1,000 ..... .02½
Argo Mines—
1,000 ..... .06
2,000 ..... .06
Brazil—Demand, 11.55.
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	Maturity	Price	Yield
City of Edmonton, Canada, 5½s	1947	96	5.85
Imperial Irrigation District 6s	Various	102½	5.80

PUBLIC UTILITY BONDS

S. Joaquin Lt. & Pr. Co. Unify. & Ref. 7s	1951	105	6.60

INDUSTRIAL BONDS

Anaconda Copper Mining Co. 1st Cons. 6s	1953	96½	6.25
Anaconda Copper Mng. Co. Conv. Deb. 7s	1938	100	7.00
Anaheim Sugar Co. 1st Mtg. 6s	1931	100	6.00
Bethlehem Steel Corporation Cons.	5½s 1953	93	6.06
Columbia Steel Co. 1st Mtg. 7s	1938	100	7.00
Francisco Sugar Co. 1st Mtg.	7½s 1942	101	7.40
General Petroleum 1st Mtg. 7s	1931	104½	6.30
Vertientes Sugar Co. 1st Mtg. 7s	1942	97½	7.25

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BOND QUOTATIONS

Foreign Issues Recover
[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Chief interest in the bond market centered on the further sharp recovery of foreign bonds, several of which closed 1 to 3 points higher. Jugo-Slavian 8's jumped 4½ points and Czecho-Slovakian 8s, 3¼.

Bordeaux 6s advanced 3 points to 74; Lyons 6s, 2¼ points to 72⅞; French 7½, 2 points to 89, and the 8s, 1⅝ to 91⅝, while Prague 7½s, Marseilles 6s, Belgian 7½s and 8s, Paris-Lyons-Mediterranean 6s, Fr. American 7½s and Queensland 6s each closed at least 1½ points higher. Jurgen 6s and Bolivian 8s were heavy.

United States government securities all made partial recovery from recent heaviness, the second 4¼s gaining 10 cents on $100 and the fourth 4¼s and Liberty 3½s, 2 cents each, with the other active issues either unchanged or 2 cents lower.

Except for gains of approximately a point in Erie Consolidated 4s and 2 points in Illinois Central refunding 4s and a loss of 1⅞ in Erie convertible 4s, series B, railroad mortgages showed only nominal changes. The principal changes in the industrial and public utility groups was a point gain in Steel and Tube 7s and losses of a point each in Interborough Rapid Transit 7s, Utah Power and Light 5s, Marine 6s and American Telephone convertible 6s.

Total sales, par value, were $10,447,000.

The treasury statement showing a balance of $285,000,000 on January 29 was interpreted as indicating the need of further government financing in the near future.

An issue of $5,000,000 State of Oregon veterans' State aid bonds was purchased today by a syndicate headed by the Bankers' Trust Company for 100.029. The issues consist of $4,000,000 4½ per cent bonds and $1,000,000 4 per cent bonds, due serially from 1932 to 1951. Public offering will be made tomorrow.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Following are the closing bond quotations on the New York Stock Exchange. Furnished by Logan & Bryan.

RAILROAD BONDS

	Bid.	Asked.
Atch. Gen. 4s, 1995	87⅝	88
Atl. C. Line 4s, 1952	87	88
B. & O. Gold 4s, 1948	77½	78
B. & O. Refg. 5s, 1995	81⅝	82
Can. Pac. Deb. 4s	79¼	79¾
Can. Nor. 7s, 1940	113⅝	114
C. & O. Cvt. 4s, 1930	86¼	87
C. B. & Q. Refg. 5s, 1971	99	99½
Chicago Gt. West 4s, 1959	51	51½
C. M. & St. P. Cvt. 4½s, 1932	64½	65
C. M. & St. P. Cvt. 5s, 2014	66	67
C. R. I. & P. Ref. 4s, 1934	79½	80
Del. & Hudson 5½s, 1937	100	101
Erie Gen. 4s, 1996	48	49
Gt. Nor. 5½s, 1952	100⅛	100½
Hud. & Man. Ref. 5s, 1957	82¼	82¾
Hock. Valley 4½s, 1999	84	85
Ill. Cent. Ref. 4s, 1955	85	86
K. C.-H. S. & M. 4s, 1936	77	77½
K. C. So. 3s, 1950	67	68
L. & N. Unif. 4s, 1940	90	91
M. K. & T. 1st 4s, 1990	78⅛	79
Mo. Pac. Gen. 4s, 1975	60⅛	60½
N. Y. Cent. Cvt. 6s, 1935	103⅞	104⅛
N. Y. N. H. & H. Cvt. 6s, 1948	73	74½
Nfk. & W. Consol. 4s, 1996	89	90½
Nor. Pac. Ref. 6s, 2047	107½	107⅝
O. S. L. 5s, 1946	102	103
Ore. Wash. Ref. 4s, 1961	79⅛	79⅝
Penn. R. R. Gen. 5s, 1968	100	100⅛
Peoria & E. Inc. 4s, 1990	26	28
Pere Marq. 1st 5s, 1956	93	95
P. C. C. & St. L. Gen. 5s, 1970	97	98
Reading Gen. 4s, 1997	83½	85
Rio Grande W. 4s, 1939	66	69
R. I. Ark. La. 4½s, 1934	77½	79
St. L. & S. F. Adj. 6s, 1955	76½	77
St. L. & S. F. Inc. 6s, 1960	59⅝	60
St. L. & S. W. Con. 4s, 1932	74	75
S. A. L. Consol. 6s, 1945	60	61
So. Pac. Ref. 4s, 1955	86⅝	86⅞
So. Pac. S. F. Term. 4s, 1950	80	81
So. Ry. 6½s, 1956	100⅛	100⅝
Tex. & Pac. 1st 5s, 2000	94	97
Un. Pac. 1st 4s, 1947	91¼	91⅝
Wabash 1st 5s, 1939	97⅛	98
West. Md. 4s, 1952	63	64
West. Pac. 5s, 1946	82	82⅝

STREET RAILWAYS

	Bid.	Asked.
B. R. T. 5s, 1945	72	74
Chicago City Ry. 5s, 1927	75	78
Chgo. Ry 1st 5s, 1927	76½	77¼
Det. Un. 4½s, 1932	82	85
I. R. T. 5s, 1966	70	71
Market St. Ry. 5s, 1924	91	91½
Montreal Tra. 5s, 1941	90	90½
N. Y. Rys. 4s, 1942	32	34
P. Srvc. N. J. 5s, 1959	85½	86
Third Ave. Ref. 4s, 1960	60	60½
Un. Ry. Inv. 5s, 1926	68	69

INDUSTRIAL BONDS

	Bid.	Asked.
Am. Smelter 5s, 1947	90¼	91¾
Am. Tel. & Tel. 5s, 1946	98	98⅛
Barnsdall 8s, Ser. A, 1931	100	102
Beth. Steel 5s, 1942	89½	89⅝
Cuba Cane 8s, 1930	91½	93
Cumb. Tel. 5s, 1937	93	94
Det. Edison 6s, 1940	103⅝	103½
Dupont 7½s, 1931	108	108⅝
Duquesne Light 6s, 1949	103½	104
Empl. G. & F. 7½s, 1937	93½	95⅝
Fisk Rubber 8s	107	107⅝
Gen. Elec. Deb. 5s, 1952	101	101½
Goodyear 8s, 1931	101½	102
Humble Oil 5½s, 1932	98	98⅛
Kelly-Spring. 8s, 1931	108	109
Kenn. Cop. 7s, 1930	104	105
Intl. Paper 5s, 1947	88½	88⅝
Lack. Steel 5s, 1950	91	92
Liggett & M. 7s, 1944	118	....
Laclede Gas 5s, 1934	94⅝	95
Mars. Marine 6s, 1941	98	98½
Mex. Pet. 8s, 1936	107½	107⅝
Midvale Steel, 1936	88½	89
Nat. Tube 5s, 1952	100	101
N. Y. Edison 6½s, 1941	110	111
N. Y. Ref. 6s, 1941	108	108⅝
Nor. States Pow. 5s, 1941	91⅛	92
N. W. Bell Tel. 7s, 1941	107½	108
Otis Steel 8s, 1941	98⅝	99⅝
Pac. Gas & E. 5s, 1942	91⅝	92
Pac. Tel. 5s, 1952	91⅝	91⅝
People's Gas 5s, 1947	92	93
Phila. Co. 6s, 1944	100	100½
Sharon Steel 8s, 1941	98	99
Sinclair Oil 7s, 1937	100¼	100½
So. Cal. 7s, 1931	103⅛	103⅝
Union B. & P. 6s, 1942	96⅝	97½
U. S. Rubber 5s, 1947	88½	89
U. S. Steel 5s 1963	102⅝	103
Utah-Idaho Sug. 7s, 1930	97	....
Un. Oil Cal. 6s, 1942	101	101⅛
Va. Car. Chem. 7s, 1947	98	98½
W. U. Tel. 6½s, 1936	109	110
Wilson & Co. 1st 6s, 1941	100⅝	100⅝

FOREIGN BONDS

	Bid.	Asked.
Argentine 5s, 1909	81	82
Belgium 7½s, 1945	95	95½
Brazil 7s, 1952	81	82
Bordeaux 6s, 1934	71	72
Brazil 8s, 1941	94¼	94⅝
Canada 5s, 1952	99	99⅛
Chile 8s, 1941	103	103½
Chile 8s, 1926	101⅛	101⅝
Chile 8s, 1946	103	103½
Czecho 8s, 1951	77	78
Bolivia 8s, 1947	80	80½
Denmark 8s, 1945	108	108½
French 7½s, 1941	87½	88
French 8s, 1945	91	91½
Norway 8s, 1940	109¼	110
Queensland 6s, 1947	101	101½
Rio Janeiro 8s, 1946	92	93
Rio Janeiro 8s, 1947	92	93
Seine Dept. 7s, 1942	79½	80½
Swedish 6s, 1939	104½	105
Swiss 8s, 1940	118	119
U. K. Gt. B. & I. 5½s, 1937	103	103¼

Supplementary Bond List
[Furnished by McDonnell & Co., 634 South Spring street.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Following are the opening quotations recent and miscellaneous bond issues:

	Bid.	Asked.
Am. Agr. 1st Ref. 7½s, '41	104½	104½
Am. Sugar 6s, '37	102	102½

MARKET STATISTICS

(Furnished by A. W. Coote, Statistical and Research Department)

AVERAGE PRICES

	Thursday, February 1, 1923		Thursday, February 2, 1922	
Twenty rails	Unobtainable		75.19	+ .51
Twenty industrials	"		82.86	+1.18

VOLUME OF SALES

	1923	1922
New York stocks (shares)	625,600	794,000
New York bonds	$10,447,000.00	$8,076,000.00

COURSE OF PRICES

	Close.	Net change.	Close.	Net change.
Fourth 4¼s	98.10	— .02	96.60	+ .08
United States Steel	104.37½	+ .12	86.25	+1.12½
Mexican Petroleum	240.00	.....	113.00	+2.37½
General Motors	13.37½	— .25	9.00	+ .75
Southern Pacific	90.00	— .12½	81.50	+ .62½
Anaconda	47.50	— .12½	48.75	+ .50
Union of California	108.50	—1.00	158.00	+3.00
Oatman United	.12	.....	1.15	— .03
United Eastern	1.85	+ .02	2.05	— .01
Southern Cal. Edison Com.	104.00	— .25	97.37½	— .12½
Wheat (May)	1.17⅞	+ .01	1.23⅛	+ .03⅝
Call money (per cent)	5	.....	4½	.....
Sterling	4.66⅛	+ .01⅝	4.39⅝	+ .01¼

	Bid.	Asked.
Am. Tel. & Tel. 6 Pct. Notes, '24	100⅝	101⅛
Am. Tel. & Tel. Conv. 6s, '25	115½	116½
Anaconda Copper 7s, '29	103½	103⅝
Argentine (Rep.) 7s, '23	100⅝	100⅞
Argentine (Rep.) 7s, '27	101¼	101½
Armour 7 Pct. Conv. Notes, '30	100⅛	100⅛
Armour 1st 4½s, '39	88½	88⅝
Atlantic Refining 5s, '37	98	98⅝
Balt. & Ohio Conv. 4½s, '33	78½	79
Belgian 6s, '25	93½	94
Belgian 6s, '41	93½	95⅝
Bell Tel. Pa. Ref. 7s, '45	107½	107⅝
Bergen (City of) 8s, '45	107½	108⅛
Berne (City of) 8s, '45	111	112
Beth. Steel Equip. 7s, '35	102⅝	103⅝
Beth. Steel 1st & Ref. 5s, '42	93½	95
Cal. Gas Unifying 5s, '37	96½	97½
Canada (Dom. of) 5½s, '29	101⅝	102
Canada Steamship 7s, '42	83½	....
Canadian Northern 6½s, '26	110	111
Central Pac. 1st Ref. 4s, '49	85½	86
Cerro de Pasco Conv. 8s, '31	132	133
Ches. & Ohio Conv. 5s, '46	94½	95
Chi. & Alton 1st 3½s, '50	28	28½
C. M. & St. P. Gen. 4½s, '89	82½	83½
C. & N. W. secured 6½s, '36	108⅝	109⅝
Chile Copper 6s, '32	98½	99
Chile Copper 7s, '23	117	118
Chile (Republic) 7s, '42	98½	99
Commonwealth Edison 5s, '43	97⅝	98
Copper Export 8 Pct. Notes, '24	100⅝	101⅛
Copper Export 8 Pct. Notes, '25	101⅝	102⅛
Cuba (Republic) 5s, '31	93	94
Cuban-Amer. Sugar 8s, '31	107	107⅝
Cudahy Deb. 5½s, '37	89½	90½
Danish Cities Cons. 8s, '45	107	108
Deere & Co. 7½ Pct. Notes, '31	102½	103
Denmark (Kingdom) 6s, '42	96½	97
Diamond Match 7½s, '35	107	107⅝
Donner Steel 7s, '42	87	89½
Dutch East Indies 6s, '47	93½	94
Dutch East Indies 6s, '62	93⅛	93⅝
French Cities (Lyons) 6s, '34	71½	72½
Goodrich Rubber 6½s, '47	100⅛	101
Goodyear Rubber 1st 8s, '41	115⅛	116
Grand Trunk S. F. 6s, '36	103⅝	104
Grand Trunk S. F. 7s, '40	113⅝	114
Great Northern Gen. 7s, '36	108⅛	109
Hershey Chocolate 6s, '42	97⅝	98
Holland-Amer. S.S. 6s, '47	89	90
Interboro. R. T. 7s, '32	92	92⅝
Japanese 4s, '31	80⅝	81
Japanese 1st 4½s, '25	89⅝	90½
Japanese 2nd 4½s, '25	88⅝	88⅝
K. C. So. Ref. 5s, '50	85	85½
Laclede Gas Coll. 7s, '29	100⅝	101⅛
Libby 1st 7s, '31	100⅝	101⅛
Midi Railway 6s, '60	50	52
Minn. St. P. & S. S. M. 6½s, '31	103	104
M. K. & T. Adj. 5s, '67	60½	61
M. K. & T. Prior Lien 6s, '32	93½	95
Mo. Pac. "D" 6s, '49	93½	95½
Montevideo 7s, '52	95	....
Morris Pkg. 7½ Pct. Notes, '30	100	107
Natl. Arms Ref. 7½s, '31	96	96⅝
Natl. Leather 8 Pct. Notes, '25	101	102
Netherlands 6s, '72	97⅜	97⅝
New England Tel. & Tel. 5s, '52	88	89
N. Y. Central 5s, 2013	98½	98⅝
No. Amer. Edison 6s, '52	93	93½
Nor. Pac. P. L. 4s, '97	85½	86
Norway (Kingdom) 8s, '42	97⅝	98½
Packard Motor 8s, '31	108	108⅛
Pan-Amer. Pet. Conv. 7s, '30	102½	103⅝
Paris-Lyons-Medit. 6s, '58	87	87⅝
Penn. R.R. Coll. 7s, '30	109⅛	110
Penn. R.R. 6½s, '36	108	109½
Penn. R.R. Gen. 4½s, '65	90⅝	91¼
Queensland 7s, '41	104½	106
Remington Arms 6s, '37	93½	94½
Rogers-Brown Steel 7s, '42	89	90½
Russian Govt. 5½s, 1921	9	11
Russian Govt. 6½s, 1919	8	11
Sao Paulo (City) 8s, '52	96	97
Sao Paulo (State) 8s, '36	96	97⅝
Sears-Roebuck 7 Pct. Notes, '23	101⅛	101½
Sinclair Crude 5½s, '25	98⅝	99⅜
Sinclair Pipe Line 5s, '42	83⅝	84
So. Pac. Conv. 4s, '29	91	91½
Southwest Bell Conv. 7s, '25	102⅛	102⅝
S. O. New York 7s, '31	108⅛	109⅛
S. O. New York 6½s, '33	108⅛	108⅝
St. Louis Prior Lien 4s, '50	67⅝	69
Steel & Tube 7s, '51	102½	103
Swift Deb. 5s, '32	91⅝	91⅞
Third Ave. Adj. 5s, '60	58½	59
Tidewater Oil 6½s, '31	103	103½
U. P. Land Grant 4s, '47	91½	92
Union Tank 7 Pct. Notes, '30	103⅝	104
United Kingdom 5½s, '29	114⅝	114⅝
U. S. Rubber 7½s, '30	107	107⅝
Uruguay 8s, '46	103	104½
Vacuum Oil 7s, '36	107¼	108
Va. Car. Chem. Conv. 7½s	91½	92
Warner Sugar 1st 7s, '41	104½	105
Westinghouse 7s, '31	108	108½
Jugo-Slavia (Kingdom) 8s, '62	54½	56
Zurich (City) 8s, '45	112	113

Bond Averages
[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Bonds: Today's close:

		—Net Change— Day.	Month.	Year.
40 Issues	78.46	+.15	—.90	+2.05

Liberty Bonds
NEW YORK

Sales.		High.	Low.	Close.
40,000	Liberty 3½s	101.50	101.44	101.50
	Liberty 1st 4s	......	......	98.20
2,000	Liberty 2nd 4s	......	......	97.80
40,000	Liberty 1st 4¼s	98.40	98.21	98.38
302,000	Liberty 2nd 4¼s	98.00	97.82	97.94
317,000	Liberty 3rd 4¼s	98.63	98.52	98.56
1,363,000	Liberty 4th 4¼s	98.10	98.02	98.10
130,000	Victory 4¾s	100.22	100.18	100.20

LOS ANGELES

Following are the closing bid prices of the Los Angeles Stock Exchange:

1st Liberty 3½s	100.20
1st Liberty 4¼s	98.14
2nd Liberty 4¼s	98.74
3rd Liberty 4¼s	98.52
4th Liberty 4¼s	97.85
5th Victory 4¾s	99.98

GASOLINE, OILS

Gasoline
[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—Gasoline tank wagon, 18; service stations, 20; machine, 27.7. Oils, summer, 11.4; winter, 11.9. Carbon perfection, iron barrels, 11⅞. Linseed oil, raw, 1.07; boiled, 1.09. Turpentine, 1.78; denatured alcohol, 46.

Ship Stores
[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAVANNAH (Ga.) Feb. 1.—Turpentine firm; 1.55; sales, 100; receipts, 52; shipments, 1; stock, 10,233.

Rosin firm; sales, 341; receipts, 816; shipments, 1027; stock, 95,069.

Quote: BDEFGHI, 4.55; K, 4.73; M, 5.20; WG, 5.90; WW, 6.70.

Flaxseed
[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

DULUTH (Minn.) Feb. 1.—Crushers took all spot offerings in the flaxseed market today and speculators were buying the distant deliveries, giving the trade a strong tone and advancing prices ⅞@2⅛c. The closing was strong with February quoted at 2.82 asked; March, 2.75⅛ bid; May, 2.64⅛; July, 2.61½ asked; on track, 2.83 @2.85; to arrive, 2.83.

MINNEAPOLIS: Flaxseed demand good; No. 1 seed on spot quoted at 2.86@2.87; to arrive, 2.84@2.85. Receipts, 7 cars.

LONDON WOOL
[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

LONDON, Feb. 1.—A varied selection amounting to 14,083 bales was offered at the wool sales today. Home and American traders were buyers, but continental spinners were quiet.

STOCKS AND BONDS IN SAN FRANCISCO

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 1.—Following are today's closing quotations and sales on the San Francisco Stock and Bond Exchange, furnished by A. W. Coote, 614 South Spring street:

LISTED

Bonds—	Bid.	Ask.
Cal. G. & E. Gen. M. & C. T. 5s	93	....
Cal. Gas & El. Unf. 5s	96½	....
City Electric Co. 5s	95½	95⅞
East Bay Water 5½s	99⅝	99⅝
Gt. Western Power 5s	92	93
Miller & Lux 7s	102½	102⅝
Natomas Co. of Cal. 6s	93½	....
Orpheum Theater & Realty 6s	97⅛	....
Pac. Gas & Elec. 5s	91½	....
Union Oil Co. of Cal. 5s	95⅝	96
U. G. C. 5s	101⅝	101⅞
S. C. L. 7s	105	106
Gas 6s	102½	....
Cal. & Haw. 7s	105½	105⅝
Amer. Factors	102⅝	103
Water Stocks—		
East Bay Water "A" pfd.	86⅝	87
Spring Valley Water Co.	73¼	73⅝
Gas and Electric Stocks—		
Pacific Gas & Elec. 1st pfd.	90⅝	91
Do. com.	79⅝	80⅛
Sugar Stocks—		
Hawaiian Com. & Sugar Co.	40½	....
Hawaiian Sugar Co.	35¼	....
Hutchinson Sugar Pl. Co.	13	13⅛
Onomea Sugar Co.	36	36½
Pioneer Mill Co.	27⅝	28⅛
Union Sugar Co.	21	22
Oil Stocks—		
Amalgamated Oil Co.	106½	....
Associated Oil Co.	125	....
General Petroleum com.	33⅝	34
North American Oil	89	90
Union Oil Co. of Cal.	108	108½
Miscellaneous Stocks—		
Cal. Packing Corp. com.	81	81½
Hawaiian Pineapple Co. Ltd.	54⅝	55⅝
Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co. pfd.	92⅝	93
Sperry Flour Co. com.	65	67
Pac. Oil	42⅝	43
U. O. C.	47½	....
Texas Cons.	420	422
Cal. Copper	165	....
Paraffine com.	31⅝	33
Do. pfd.	99	....
Magnavox	180	187½

UNLISTED

Bonds—	Bid.	Ask.
Great Western Power 6s	100½	....
S. P. 8s	119⅝	119⅞
Sperry 6s	96⅝	96⅞
Key Route 1st 5s	82	....
Do. 2nd 5s	62	....
Do. 3rd 5s	50⅛	50½
Bank Stocks—		
Bank of Italy	213	....
Wells Fargo Nev. Nat. Bank	190	191
Oil Stocks—		
Honolulu Oil	248	247½
Standard Oil of California	56⅛	58⅛
Miscellaneous Stocks—		
Engels Copper Co.	102⅝	....
Gt. W. Power (pfd.) of Cal.	99⅛	....
Midway Gas pfd.	75	....
Owl Drug Co. pfd.	104½	....
Western Pacific pfd.	57	....
Shell	14	14⅛
Wailuku Sugar	52⅝	....

SALES

Morning session: 5 Pac. Gas 1st pfd. at 90⅝, 150 at 90⅝, 75 at 91, 100 at 91¼, 5 at 91¼, 30 at 91, 35 at 90⅝, 75 at 90⅝; 25 Pac. Gas com. at 80; 100 Hawaiian Sugar at 35; 15 S. V. Water at 73⅝; 5 F. Fund Ins. at 238; 10 Bank of Italy at 213; 50 Gen. Pete. com. at 34⅝, 150 at 34⅝, 100 at 34¼, 50 at 34⅝, 400 at 34, 50 at 34⅝, 200 at 34; 100 Pac. Oil Co. at 42⅝, 100 at 42⅞; 25 Std. Oil of Cal. at 56⅝, 70 at 56⅝; 135 Asso. Oil at 125; 60 Cal. Packing at 81½, 25 at 81⅝; 40 Haw. Pineapple at 55; 55 Paraffine com. at 32; 70 N.W. Elec. com. at 19; 2200 Cal. Copper Corpn. at 165; 5000 Miller & Lux 7s at 102½; 1000 Cal. Unifying 5s at 96⅝, 4000 at 96⅝; 1000 Pac. Gas 7s at 105; 1000 Pac. Gas 5s at 91⅝, 4000 at 91¼; 2000 Western Pac. 5s at 82½; 2000 Std. Oil of Cal. 7s at 105⅝; 4000 Union Oil of Cal. 6s at 101⅝, 1000 at 101¼; 1000 L. A. G. & E. 7s, 1925 at 103; 1000 Gt. W. Pwr. 7s at 106⅛; 2000 American Factors 7s at 102⅝; 1000 East Bay Water 5½s at 99⅝; 1000 Cal. and Ore. Power 6s at 101.

Afternoon session: 2000 Miller & Lux 7s at 102⅝; 1000 Union of Cal. 5s at 95⅝; 2000 Std. of Cal. 7s at 105⅝; 5000 Gt. W. Pwr. 7s at 106⅛; 15,000 Pac. Gas 6s at 105; 6000 Pac. Gas 5s at 91⅝; 4000 Pac. Tel. Ref. at 91⅝; 2000 S. J. L. & P. "B" 6s at 98⅝; 1000 do. "C" 6s at 100; 990 Gen. Pete. com. at 34, 125 at 33⅞, 100 at 34; 25 Pac. Oil at 42, 90 at 42⅝; 115 Std. Oil of Cal. at 56⅝, 50 at 56⅝; 25 Union Oil of Cal. at 108⅛; 5 Asso. at 47⅝, 50 at 47; 1000 Cal. Copper at 165; 100 Haw. Pineapple at 55; 15 Paraffine com. at 32; 133 Sperry com. at 65; 16 Amer. Nat. Bank at 125; 300 Hon. Oil at 2.47⅝, 30 at 2.48; 2000 East Bay 5½s at 99⅝; 65 Amal. Oil at 107; 5 Pac. Tel. pfd. at 92⅝; 5 Gt. West. Pwr. pfd. at 98⅝; 1600 Texas Cons. at 4⅛; 5 Mercantile Trust at 273; 25 Oahu Sugar at 35; 10 Onomea Sugar at 36⅛; 20 Pioneer Mill at 27⅝; 100 Magnavox at 1.75; 10 S. V. Water at 73⅝; 5 East Bay Water "A" at 86⅝, 25 at 86⅝, 60 at 87; 150 Pac. Gas 1st at 91, 14 at 90⅝, 50 at 91; 10 Pac. Gas com. at 80.

SAN FRANCISCO OIL STOCKS
[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 1.—Con. Mut., .37; Gen. Pet. com., 33.75; Honolulu, 2.50; M. J. M. M., .06; N. Amn., .89; Pacific, .42⅝; Palmer pfd., .19; Palmer com., .01; Pyramid, .05; Sourdough, .90; Standard Cal., 56.37½; Texas Con., 4.25; Transcont., .11; Union Cal., 108.50.

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WHAT'S DOING TODAY

Arroyo Club luncheon, Clark, noon; Dr. Rufus Tyn Kindfield, speaker.
Minnesota State Society meeting, Music-Art Studio Building, 323 South Broadway, evening.
American War Mothers meeting, Disabled Veterans' Hall, 326 South Hill, afternoon.
Hebrew Christian Alliance meeting, 224 West Sixth, evening.
Los Angeles Traffic Commission executive committee meeting, Union League Club, noon.
Maple recital, Trinity Auditorium, Ninth and Grand, evening; Sarah Rahmanteff, soloist.
Community singing, City Club, noon; Patriotic Hall, noon.
Federal Women's Sewing Society meeting, Patriotic Hall, noon.
Motion picture artists' exhibition, MacDowell studios, Taft Building, First and Broadway, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Southern Association of Art Museum Directors meeting, Los Angeles Museum, Exposition Park, noon.
Prints exhibit, Southwest Museum, near Sycamore Grove, 1 to 5 p.m.
American Institute of Electrical Engineers meeting, Hamburger Hall, 323 South Broadway, evening; Dr. J. A. Kelly, speaker.
Art exhibit, Los Angeles Museum, Exposition Park, noon and 2 to 5 p.m.
Women Peace and Civic reception, Patriotic Hall, 8 p.m.
Student Association of Life Underwriters' meeting, Chapel Hall, Philharmonic Auditorium Building, Fifth, between Hill and Olive, morning and afternoon; Alvin Ahlgren, speaker.
Associated General Contractors of America Convention, Barker Hall, Philharmonic Auditorium Building, noon, afternoon.
South Park Improvement Association meeting, Manchester Hall, Manchester and Pioneer, evening.
Theater Club meeting, Disabled Veterans' Hall, 326 South Hill, evening.

MOTION PICTURES:

Alhambra, Hill, between Seventh and Eighth—Harold Lloyd in "Dorothy Dalton in "Moran of the Lady Letty."
Broadway, Eighth and Hill—Gloria Swanson in "My American Wife."
Criterion, Million Dollar, Third and Broadway—"The Child Alone."
Empress, Fifth, Broadway near Eighth—"To Have and to Hold."
Rialto, Seventh and Grand—Douglas MacLean in "The Hottentot."
Rivoli, Seventh and Broadway—Viola Dana in "Love's Flame."
Strand, Seventh and Broadway—Tom Mix in "The Last Edition."
Tally's, Seventh and Main—Rudolph Valentino in "The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse."
Miniature, Eighth and Broadway—Mildred Harris in "Sonny."
Granada, Sixth and Broadway — Tom Mix in "Eyes of the Forest."
Tally's, 833 South Broadway—Blanche Sweet in "Under Two Flags."

STAGE:

Hope, Pigeons at Play — "The Five Fifty Train."
Majestic, 840 South Broadway—Mary Fuzzard in "Chinatown."
Mason, 187 South Broadway—Fifth and Fifth.
Morosco, 744 South Broadway—"I Live Ghosts."

VARIETIES:

Burbank, Sixth and Main—"200 Years."
Dalton's, 324 South Broadway—Dr. You'll be Better."
Orpheum, Eighth and Hill—"The Belle of San Juan."
Pantages, Main near Fourth—Claire Whitney in "A Common Sinner."
Quinlan, 630 South Broadway—Eddie Leonard in "The Minstrel Delight."
Wilshire, Fourth and Hill—"Jungle Kings."
Philharmonic Auditorium, Fifth, between Hill and Olive—Harry Lauder.

RADIO:

7 to 7:30 p.m., KUS, City Dye Works.
12 m. to 12:30 p.m., KUS, City Dye Works.
12:30 to 1:15 p.m., KFWB, TIMES, 400 meters.
1 to 2 p.m., KUS, City Dye Works.
1 to 2:30 p.m., KNX, Long Beach.
2 to 3:30 p.m., KUS, City Dye Works; KFAW, Santa Ana.
4:30 to 5 p.m., KPAC, Glendale.
5 to 5:30 p.m., KOG, Herald.
5 to 6 p.m., KWH, Examiner.
6 to 6 p.m., KOG, Altadena.
6 to 7 p.m., KUS, City Dye Works.
7 to 7:30 p.m., KFWB, KHJ, 400 meters.
8 to 8:30 p.m., KHJ, TIMES, 400 meters.
9 to 9:30 p.m., KNX, Long Beach.
9 to 11 p.m., KFI, Auditorium.

SENATE INVESTIGATES PURE OIL COMPANY

DAWES TESTIFIES THAT BUT TWO STOCKHOLDERS OWN OVER ONE PER CENT

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Details of the business of the Pure Oil Company were presented to the Senate Oil Investigating Commission today by B. G. Dawes of Marietta, O., president of the company and brother of Charles G. Dawes, former director of the budget.

Mr. Dawes said his company had 2300 wells with a production in 1922 of 8,684,800 barrels in Ohio, West Virginia, Illinois, Kansas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Louisiana and Texas. Production of oil, he asserted, constituted about 15 per cent of the business of the Pure Oil Company.

Mr. Dawes said that among the Pure Oil Company's 27,324 stockholders there are only two owning one per cent of the stock. These he gave as Dawes Brothers, Inc., of Chicago, with holdings of 3.65 per cent and the Humphreys Oil Company of Mexico with 1.03 per cent. Seventy-five per cent of the employes of the Pure Oil Company, the witness said, hold stock in the company, which has outstanding common stock amounting to $64,487,000 and preferred stock outstanding of $20,000,000.

Regular dividends paid by the company since its organization in 1914 and up to last January 1 have amounted to $40,507,420, Mr. Dawes testified. Stock dividends during the same period have totalled $5,944,975. Besides these dividends a per cent cash dividend was declared last Saturday.

The committee, it was learned today, has asked of the Mexican Petroleum Company, Ltd., of which E. L. Doheny, a California oil man, is board chairman, to appear Saturday. The appearance of representatives of this company is expected to give the committee additional information on the Mexican oil situation.

TWO GENERALS ARE PROMOTED BY WEEKS

RETIREMENTS LEAVE SIX VACANCIES TO BE FILLED

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—Selections of two major-generals and four brigadier-generals to fill vacancies in the Army which will occur due to retirements within the next few months, were announced today by Secretary Weeks. They included:

To be major-generals: Brig.-Gen. Hanson E. Ely, now commanding the general service schools at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., to succeed Maj.-Gen. Adelbert Cronkhite, who retired today. Brig.-Gen. Walter H. Gordon, commanding the infantry school, Fort Benning, Ga., vice Maj.-Gen. Henry T. Allen, who retires April 13.

Brig.-Gen. Haynes takes command of the Ninth Coast Artillery Corps District, San Francisco.

BUSINESS BREVITIES.

[Advertising]

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Julius Kahn Is Seriously Ill; Leaves Capital

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Representative Julius Kahn, chairman of the Military Affairs Committee, who has represented the Fourth California District for almost twenty-five years, is reported to be seriously ill. He left tonight, accompanied by his wife, for his home in San Francisco. His condition is so critical, his physician said, that he may not be able to make the trip without stops.

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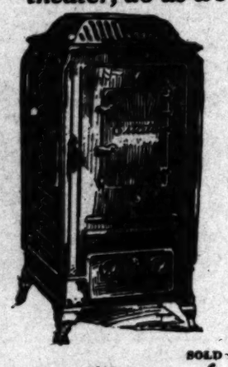

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THE WEATHER

[Official Report]

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Feb. 1.—[Reported by H. B. Hersey, Meteorologist.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.99; at 5 p.m., 30.00. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 39 deg. and 44 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 83 per cent; 5 p.m., 67 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 10 miles; 5 p.m., east, velocity 22 miles. Temperatures, highest, 68 deg.; lowest, 36 deg. Rainfall for season, 6.54 inches; last season to date, 12.80 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.—Rain fell on the North Atlantic coast and in Illinois, Missouri, Oklahoma and Texas, and snow or rain in Colorado, Arizona and Utah. It was colder yesterday morning in the Dakotas, Minnesota, Iowa, Nebraska, Colorado and Utah, but the temperatures rose in the North Atlantic States. In Southern California cold, unsettled weather prevailed yesterday, with light showers. It was foggy or cloudy at most stations yesterday morning, with temperatures below freezing at many points. Partly cloudy weather may be expected in this vicinity today.

SUN, MOON AND TIDES.—Los Angeles, Feb. 2: Sun rises 6:49 a.m., sets 5:24 p.m. Moon rises 6:37 p.m., sets 7:38 a.m. and 10:42 p.m. Harbor, Feb. 2: High tides, 9:34 a.m. and 10:42 p.m.; low tides, 3:32 a.m. and 4:23 p.m.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.—Minimum and maximum temperatures from Southern California points, reported yesterday to the Los Angeles office of the U. S. Weather Bureau, were as follows:

Stations—	Max.	Min.
Bonita	72	35
Calexico	64	34
Corona	62	30
El Cajon	69	33
Escondido	69	33
Los Angeles Harbor	62	33
Mt. Wilson	37	15
Newport Harbor	51	33
Pasadena	68	29
Pomona	68	32
Porterville	69	29
Redlands	68	31
Riverside	67	31
Santa Barbara	61	39
San Bernardino	66	31
Santa Ana	68	31
San Fernando	66	29

LOCAL FORECAST

For Los Angeles and vicinity: Occasional rain Friday; freezing temperature in interior in early morning; moderate to fresh winds, mostly easterly.

STATE FORECAST

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 1.—Weather forecast: San Francisco and vicinity: Fair Friday; fresh northeasterly winds.

Northern California, Sacramento, Santa Clara and San Joaquin valleys: Fair Friday; heavy frost in early morning; moderate northerly winds.

Southern California: Occasional rain Friday; freezing temperatures in the interior in early morning; moderate to fresh winds, mostly easterly.

ARIZONA FORECAST

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Feb. 1.—Forecast for Arizona: Generally fair Friday and Saturday; not much change in temperature.

TEMPERATURES

	Max.	Min.		Max.	Min.
Abilene	70	34	North Head	49	38
Boise	39	4	Oklahoma	46	—
Boston	36	26	Phoenix	66	44
Buffalo	30	20	Pittsburgh	42	32
Chicago	42	32	Portland, Or.	52	32
Denver	36	14	Rapid City	36	8
Des Moines	32	12	Red Bluff	52	30
Dodge City	74	30	Roseburg	49	32
El Paso	62	—	Roswell	64	43
Eureka	48	36	St. Louis	52	36
Flagstaff	38	24	Minneapolis	—	—
Fresno	58	34	St. Paul	8	3
Galveston	72	52	Sacramento	56	34
Havre	28	-14	Salt Lake City	36	16
Helena	24	—	San Diego	62	40
Huron	34	8	San Francisco	56	46
Independence	—	16	San Luis Obispo	52	34
Kamloops	18	-8	Seattle	46	36
Kansas City	42	30	Spokane	34	6
Knoxville	52	36	Tampa	72	62
Los Angeles	68	36	Tucson	62	30
Memphis	70	60	Washington	42	30
Modena	28	6	Williston	22	-10
Montreal	30	24	Winnipeg	4	-10
New Orleans	68	52	Yuma	68	44
New York	42	34			

VITAL RECORD.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

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ANTILLA—MILLER. Joseph F. Antilla, 19; Gertrude C. Miller, 18.
BEISAC—DE MERR. Harry S. Beisac, 27; Alliette M. De Merr, 25.
BIRMINGHAM—FONDICK. James P. Birmingham, 36; Gretchen Fondick, 32.
BURRELL — MOLONY. Walter E. Burrell, 24; Patricia Molony, 24.
CLARKE—GERIG. Albert A. Clarke, 32; Anna Gerig, 29.
COCHRAN—FRASER. Jos K. Cochran, 24; May Fraser, 23.
COHEN—TOKMAN. Herman Cohen, 39; Annette Tokman, 33.
CORNUTT—JUERGENS. Athelstane B. Cornutt, 22; Dorotta Juergens, 23.
CROCKER—SMITH. James E. Crocker, 21; Bianca Smith, 18.
DAVIS—EKNER. William H. Davis, 34; Mary A. Ekner, 34.
DECLERSON—BUSTAMANTE. John Declerson, 23; Anita Bustamante, 23.
DILLON—SKELTON. Harry L. Dillon, 21; Margaret K. Skelton, 18.
DOLAN—PRESLEY. Harry G. Dolan, 24; Erma L. Presley, 24.
DONETTI—CENA. Ghilo Donetti, 44; Almedea Cena, 29.
ERICSON—ERICKSON. Fred Ericson, 30; Bess C. Erickson, 27.
GUYTON — NIBLETT. Samuel B. Guyton, 22; Prentice Niblett, 18.
HERRON—WARD. Harold P. Herron, 22; Elizabeth E. Ward, 20.
JONAS — RAYNER. Harold J. Jonas, 31; Irma Rayner, 19.
KERSTAKER. Rufus O. Kesty, 36; Sarah C. Baker, 35.
KURTZ—TEMPLIN. Gordon W. Kurtz, 27; Hilda M. Templin, 22.
MARQUEZ—MUNOZ. Carlos Marquez, 22; Felicitas Munoz, 19.
MASSEY — LA CASSE. Jessy H. Massey, 20; Mary J. La Casse, 20.
McKAIN—JONES. Thomas L. McKain, 30; Stella O. Jones, 29.
MONELLO—FERRERO. Andrew Monello, 21; Jennie Ferrero, 20.
MORRIS—WILLIS. Frank B. Morris, 32; Emily M. Willis, 26.
NOBLE—SMITH. Eric L. Noble, 21; Bertha L. Smith, 22.
OKAMURA—MINAMI. Wataru Okamura, 21; Fujie Minami, 19.
PAPSON—ROGEN. George D. Papson, 25; Rose Rogen, 21.
PHILLIPS—PRESTON. Theron Phillips, 22; Fern Preston, 22.
REICHERT—BROMBACHER. Paul Reichert, 49, Ella Brombacher, 45.
RODRIGUEZ—HERNANDEZ. Jose Rodriguez, 22; Juana Hernandez, 19.
RYAN—SPENDERFER. Francis S. Ryan, 44; Grace E. Spenderfer, 34.
SELLS — BECK. Frank W. Sells, 45; Clara L. Beck, 32.
SHERRY—RUST. Leroy B. Sherry, 25; Josephine D. Rust, 22.
SINGER—MORRELL. Henry F. Singer, 29; Ruth Morrell, 29.
STEADMAN—GOFFE. Samuel S. Steadman, 27; Ruby E. Goffe, 25.
TRUMBLE — FREDIGGEN. Eugene H. Trumble, 23; Angelina M. Frediggen, 22.

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METCALF. Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Boy. St. Vincent's Hospital, January 30.
MOMO. Mr. and Mrs. Louis. Boy. 2401 Allen street, January 26.
MORENO. Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Boy. Lincoln Hospital, January 26.
MORGAN. Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Daughter. 589 Loraby street, January 28.
NELSON. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Boy. Lincoln Hospital, January 21.
NUTTINY. Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Boy. French Hospital, January 24.
PARKER. Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Daughter. 4324½ Juanita street, January 29.
PERLSTEIN. Mr. and Mrs. Jack. Boy. County Hospital, January 28.
RAY. Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Daughter. Methodist Hospital, January 27.
SARGENT. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Boy. 3737 Riverside Drive, January 29.
SCOTT. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Boy. Lincoln Hospital, January 27.
SMITH. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Boy. 2129 Michigan avenue, January 19.
STAHLOY. Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Daughter. Methodist Hospital, January 27.
WEGAL. Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Boy. 1214 West Seventieth street, January 28.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED

BRIGGS. Gertrude against Clyde.
CAPDEVILLE. Bertha Thelma against John B.
ETTINGER. Rhea against Charles G.
GOLDSTEIN. Anna against Louis.
HANNAN. Minnie May against William J.
JENKINS. Margaret M against Jesse M.
KATTICK. Christine against George.
LA PLANTE. Mabel against Bert.
LEE. Hazel R. against Otis.
McDONALD. Ruth Folsom against Stuart Deane.
PENDER. Katherine S. against James F.
POWELL. Edith against James F.
QUINONEZ. Mercedes against Antonio.
SCRIVERT. F. against Leticia.
ST. GERMAIN. Evelina against Rogers.
WALKER. Nettie A. against Hiram.
WILLIAMS. Richard G. against Hortense.

DIVORCE DECREES GRANTED

CRANDALL. Marion F. from Edward A.
JOHNSTON. Rebecca from Carl.
POOLE. Clara A. from Clarence B.
SIER. Martha from Robert T.
STELLENES. Mary Coleima from Ernst Fred.

NATURALIZATION PETITIONS

Petitions for naturalization, with name, nationality, residence and date of coming to the United States given, were filed yesterday with the U. S. District Court, as follows:

Evelyn E. Browne, England, 317 North Flaworth street, Aug. 24, 1912.
John G. Billefeld, Germany, 1340½ South New Hampshire street, April 8, 1909.
Judah Bueno, Turkey, 904 West Fifty-seventh street, Jan. 25, 1917.

OFFICIAL DEATH LIST

Name and place of death—	Age.	Date.
APPERSOUZ, Bernard. Los Angeles.	54	Jan. 29
BERBER, Beasie. Los Angeles.	66	Jan. 28
BERRUECO, Julian. Los Angeles.	61	Jan. 31
BOAI, A. R. Los Angeles.	41	Jan. 29
BUTTER, Harriet. Los Angeles.	55	Jan. 29
CULLEN, Isabel. Los Angeles.	54	Jan. 29
DAFF, Vincent. Los Angeles.	37	Jan. 30
DAUGHERTY, Elizabeth. Los Angeles.	54	Jan. 29
GRAHAM, E. E. M. Los Angeles.	73	Jan. 29
JACKSON, Anna. Los Angeles.	39	Jan. 31
LOVERET, M. Los Angeles.	61	Jan. 29
McGAVOCK, R. Los Angeles.	78	Jan. 30
NELSON, Pauline. Los Angeles.	40	Jan. 31
NORDSTRAND, N. R. Los Angeles.	72	Jan. 31
RAAK, Lambert. Los Angeles.	76	Jan. 29
SHARP, C. J. Los Angeles.	25	Jan. 29
SLOUGHTER, Agnes. Los Angeles.	19	Jan. 30
THOMPSON, J. L. Los Angeles.	55	Jan. 30

DEATHS

With Funeral Announcements.

BARLARD. February 1, Henry B. Ballard. Remains at the parlors of W. A. Brown. Notice of funeral later.

BARBERIE. At 626 North Banquet street, February 1, Angelina, wife of John Barberie, mother of James J., Frank and Tony Barberie. Funeral from Rosas Brothers' chapel, 552 Figueroa. Saturday at 8 a.m. Mass at Our Lady of Loretto Church, 702 North Union avenue, at 9 a.m.

BERRUECO. Funeral of Julian Berrueco will be held Friday, 9 a.m., from the Gulick mortuary, 1245 South Flower street; thence to the Plaza Church. Interment, Calvary Cemetery, under direction of Cadena & Martinoni.

BORDLEY. January 31, at her home, 2213 Hallale avenue, Helen Bordley, aged 75 years. Funeral Saturday, February 3, at 2 p.m., from chapel of Cumshaw & O'Connor, 1031 South Grand avenue. Please omit flowers.

BUTLER. Mrs. A. H. Butler, beloved mother of Mrs. Ralf B. Rittenhouse, A. H. Butler, Jr., Mrs. Wilmer B. Reserve and Frank Butler, and grandmother of Muriel B. Rittenhouse and Beverly Butler.

Funeral services Saturday, February 3, at 2 p.m., from the residence, 527 South Manhattan Place. Flints & Love in charge.

CALDWELL. At 144 South Avenue 18, January 30, Joseph C. Caldwell, aged 25 years. Funeral services at Rosas Brothers' chapel, 552 Figueroa Friday at 1:30 p.m.

CASS. At 128 East Twenty-fifth street, February 1, Francis O. Cass, aged 73 years, husband of Mrs. Lena M. Roberts and Marian Cass of this city.

Funeral Saturday, February 3, at 1 p.m., from Pierce Brothers' chapel, 810 South Flower street. Interment, Evergreen Cemetery.

CONNELL. Anna I. Connell, aged 71 years, beloved mother of Mrs. John A. Leach and Chester A. Connell of Los Angeles, Arnett W. Connell of Greenfield, Iowa, and Mrs. Fred E. Harris of Lincoln, Neb.

Funeral services today, 2 p.m., from the Little Church of the Flowers, Forest Lawn Cemetery, and not as previously announced. Le Roy Bagley, funeral director. (Lincoln, Neb., papers please copy.)

COOPER. At the Good Samaritan Hospital, Los Angeles, Feb. 1, 1923, William H. Cooper, aged 70 years, beloved husband of Grace Cooper of 414 West Randolph street, Huntington Park.

Funeral services at the chapel of the Huntington Park Undertaking Co., February 3 at 2 p.m.

DIDIER. January 31, Nicolas Didier. Remains at the parlors of Cunningham & O'Connor, 1031 South Grand avenue.

DUPRE-SINCLAIR. M. G. Dupre-Sinclair, beloved husband of Lillian M. Dupre-Sinclair and father of Henry T. and Edwin M. Sinclair and Mrs. Irving Cornelius.

Funeral services Saturday, February 3, at 11 a.m., from his late home, 7241 De Longpre avenue, Hollywood, Cal. Brother & Darton, directors. (Washington, D. C., papers please copy.)

GIFFORD. In Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 27, 1923, Miss Florence Gifford, for twenty years a resident of South Pasadena, beloved daughter of Mrs. Georgie B. Gifford of South Pasadena, sister of Harry N. Gifford of South Pasadena and Maurice Gifford of Alhambra.

Funeral services will be held at the chapel of Turner, Stevens & Berry, 1417 Mission street, South Pasadena, Wednesday, February 7, at 2:30 p.m. Interment in San Gabriel Cemetery.

GOODWIN. At 1945 Woodlawn avenue, David William Goodwin, aged 73 years, beloved husband of Mrs. Ada Pike Goodwin, father of Charles P., Miss Carrie M., Willard, John H. and Ralph F. Goodwin of Los Angeles, and Mrs. Hettie M. Whitten of Glendale, Cal.

Funeral services Saturday, February 3, at 2 p.m., from the funeral parlors of W. A. Brown, 1357 South Flower street. Interment, Inglewood Park Cemetery.

HIBBLER. February 1, Mrs. Sarah Hibbler. Remains at the parlors of W. A. Brown. Notice of funeral later.

HOTTINGER. February 1, Herman Hottinger. Remains at the parlors of W. A. Brown. Notice of funeral later.

KELLER. Services for Mrs. Violet L. Keller will be held today at 2 p.m. from Rupps Mortuary, 942 South Figueroa street. Interment, Inglewood Park Cemetery.

LINDSEY. James D. Lindsey. Remains at Reed Bros.-Dollenbaugh Co.

LLOYD. At 876 West Forty-first street, Florence Lloyd, aged 35 years beloved wife of Rufus Lloyd.

Remains at The White Company, 654 West Washington street.

MATRANGE. January 31, Victor, beloved husband of Eleanor Matrange.

Funeral from the residence, 1913 Lord street, Saturday, 2 p.m., under auspices of Palentine Lodge, F. & A. M. Interment, Forest Lawn Cemetery. Godeau & Martinoni, directors.

MATTHEWS. At Alhambra, February 1, Iris O. Matthews, aged 47 years.

Funeral services at the parlors of F. A. Utter & Son at 2:30 p.m. February 2. Interment, San Gabriel Cemetery.

McDONNELL. January 31, Thomas J. McDonnell, aged 75 years.

Funeral Saturday, February 3, at 8:30 a.m., from chapel of Cunningham & O'Connor, 1031 South Grand avenue. Requiem mass at St. Joseph's Church at 9 a.m. Interment, Calvary Cemetery.

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Gold Inlays	$2.00 up
Synthetic Porcelain Fillings	$1.00 up
Silver Fillings	50c up
Cement Fillings	50c up
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COUNCIL SPONSORS STATE DRIVE FOR LAW REFORM

Resolutions Appeal to Municipal Governing Bodies of California to Urge Anti-Crime Program

The Los Angeles City Council yesterday decided to ask the city councils or boards of trustees of every city in California to join it in petitioning the Legislature to enact the program of judicial and legal reform that is being demanded generally in the State.

The principal parts of the program already have been introduced as bills in the Legislature. They are for amendments to the State Constitution so that a three-fourths verdict may acquit or convict in criminal as well as in civil cases, except where the death penalty is involved, and so that the trial judges may comment on matters of fact to the juries as is done in Federal courts. Several other parts of the program also have been introduced as bills.

The program in its entirety has been indorsed by the Los Angeles County Bar Association, the Los Angeles Crime Commission and several clubs and societies. Its chief measures are identical with resolutions made by the judicial section of the California Bar Association at its last convention at San Francisco.

JURIST FAVORS CHANGE

An eminent jurist of Northern California, Judge J. R. Welch, of the Superior Court of Santa Clara County, in an interview yesterday in San Jose, joined in urging action generally in the State to accomplish the three-fourths verdict and the comment-on-fact reforms.

"I am heartily in favor of three-fourths jury verdicts in all criminal cases other than capital ones," he said, "and for a change in the law so as to allow State judges the same discretion as Federal judges in commenting on the facts to the jury.

"Miscarriage of justice is one of the most fruitful causes for the existing criticism and disrespect for the laws and the courts. Miscarriage of justice results largely from the defective administration of antiquated laws.

"The jury system as now constituted and not the courts is to be blamed for the failures to obtain swift and speedy results. In keeping with the progressive age, the administration of law must be reformed.

"The guilty must be convicted. Conviction (the deterrant to crime) must deal with a criminal justly but humanely under prison rules and the probation system. Courts of law must be depended on to protect the people.

"Clearly it is to the interests of the associations throughout the State to join the bench in bringing about these salutary changes in the administration of the law. It should go far to establish the sentiment in the favor and confidence of the people."

In its action yesterday the City Council of Los Angeles indorsed the reform program and instructed the Mayor to send copies of the resolutions to the governing bodies of every city in the State and to the Los Angeles representatives in the Legislature. In addition, the city clerk or boards of trustees of all other cities will be asked in letters to urge their respective legislators to get behind the various measures necessary to put the program through. It was merely the suggestion from the Council of the southern metropolis of the State that the matter be made one of record by the city governments and thus leave the Legislature no doubt of the interest concern at the admitted breakdown in the wheels of justice with its serious consequences to every community, and the immediate need of reformatory measures.

The resolutions were introduced by Councilman Sparks and sec-

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HAHN WILL BE HARDER ON YOUTHS

Judge to Take Personal Charge of Cases; Cuts Down on Probation

Indicating a tightening of the procedure in handling juvenile cases, Judge Hahn of the Superior Court juvenile department announced yesterday that he would take complete charge of the investigation and disposal of each case.

Judge Hahn granted Joseph W. Libby, referee for boys in Department 8, a leave of absence for six months.

The court said that he felt there was some fundamental reason in individual instances where boys or girls broke laws, and that henceforth he would inquire into each case personally.

It has been observed recently that juvenile offenders have appeared in court as many as eight and nine times, and each time have been given probation. It was intimated that in the future, when leniency has been extended three times without effect, the offenders will face the probability of being placed in an institution.

DENTON ESTATE WINS NOTE SUIT

An echo of the Jacob C. Denton murder for which Mrs. Lone Louise Peete is now serving a life sentence in San Quentin was heard in Judge Hardy's department of the Superior Court yesterday when H. W. Reneau appeared with a suit for $2500 against Judge Russ Avery, administrator of the slain broker's estate.

The suit was based on a promissory note asserted to have been signed by Denton in 1904. Judge Hardy decided in favor of the Denton estate on the ground that the note was outlawed by lapse of the time limit.

Burial Service Is Conducted for Mrs. Bates

The funeral and burial services for Mrs. Laura J. Bates, 77 years of age, who died recently at her home, 1339 Ogden Drive, Hollywood, were conducted yesterday at Hollywood Cemetery.

Mrs. Bates, who had made her home in California for the last fourteen years, was the widow of Judge Henry C. Bates, former Governor of Vermont, who was appointed to the bench in the Philippine Islands during the McKinley administration.

Mrs. Bates leaves one son, Maj. John D. Bates, military editor of the Boston Evening Transcript.

VENICE RAIDS ARE AIRED

Woolwine Also Will Investigate Report of Klansmen as Special Officers at Beach City

Further investigation into the charges that Venice police under Henry H. McCausland have illegally conducted raids at the beach without first having obtained search warrants, and that many of the special officers recently appointed by the Chief are members of the Ku Klux Klan, will be conducted by Dist.Atty. Woolwine, it was announced yesterday following a conference of City Recorder Walter Reddish of Venice with Chief Dep. Dist.-Atty. Keyes and Dep. Dist.-Atty. Woolwine.

"The charges will be sifted to the bottom," Dist.-Atty. Woolwine said yesterday. "Every angle of the case will be thoroughly investigated."

The investigation into the court records brought into the office yesterday by Recorder Rennie revealed that there had been no irregularity in the issuance of the search warrants, McClelland said. It is possible however, according to McClelland, that there might be cases of imposition on the court in which warrants were issued under false pretenses following a raid, and without the knowledge. Dates of the issuance of the warrants on the records will be verified later by investigation testimony, it was said. Deputies of the District Attorney's office will also conduct a thorough investigation of the charges that many of the policemen are members of the Klan organization and were under undue influence, was intimated when it was said that it would be investigated whether any action other than lawful, have been taken relating the issuance of the search warrants.

Chief McCausland accompanied Recorder Rennie to the District Attorney's office, but was not called into conference.

CHIEF ANSWERS

In reference to the charge of membership Chief McCausland

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SEEKS SUPPORT OF LOS ANGELES

Long Beach Asks Chamber Aid in County Fight

Redistricting by Supervisors Scored at Mass Meeting

Secession Threat Taken Up by Other Parts of State

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

LONG BEACH, Feb. 1.—The Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce will be asked to condemn the recent action of the Board of Supervisors in splitting Long Beach into two divisions, according to the terms of a resolution passed at a mass meeting here tonight.

This will be done to determine the sentiment of Los Angeles toward the Supervisors' action, it was declared by L. N. Whealton, prominent attorney and former Mayor of the city, who introduced the resolution.

Another resolution, introduced by Mr. Whealton and bitterly opposed, requested the City Council of Long Beach to pass an ordinance taxing every bread wagon, furniture truck and all vehicles carrying any articles to Long Beach that had been purchased in Los Angeles. The resolution was not passed.

In opposing it, J. E. Davis, director of the Chamber of Commerce committee appointed to deal with the Supervisors' action, declared the people and merchants of Los Angeles were not aligned with the Supervisors and that such a move would antagonize them and lose their possible support.

FIGHT IS URGED

Mr. Whealton urged that Long Beach fight for proper representation and outlined the legal difficulties in the way of Long Beach becoming a separate county, which could only be done by having an amendment to the State Constitution adopted. A committee of the Long Beach Bar Association was said to have been working on this angle.

Dr. Frank C. Renfrew, president of the Chamber of Commerce, declared his organization would fight the redistricting to the last ditch. He called the Supervisors' action a "gerrymander move," "the political assassination of Long Beach," and declared the officials' position untenable.

Other speakers declared the move was a political trick to split the voting strength of Long Beach. Among those who addressed the meeting were Miss Belle McCord Roberts, owner and editor of the Long Beach Telegram; Mayor Buffum, Dr. Ralph Taylor, City Manager Windham, Councilman Condit and others.

COMMERCE BODY ACTION

At a meeting of the Long Beach Chamber of Commerce today, Dr. Frank Renfrew, president, announced that the San Joaquin Valley, San Francisco and a goodly portion of the remainder of the State was ready to support Long Beach in the Legislature in its plan to secede from Los Angeles county and to create a new county with this city as the county seat. Other sections of the State, he declared, are prepared to lend their support to the secession movement as a means of striking at Los Angeles for its asserted efforts to "grab" the power to be developed from the Colorado River project.

The Chamber of Commerce head declared the representatives in the Assembly of the other cities and towns have intimated they will support solidly the bill for the creation of a new county with Long Beach as its seat when the secession measure is presented.

A bombshell was thrown into the meeting by C. D. Beauchamp, first vice-president of the chamber, who charged that several members of the City Council had agreed to the division of the city by the Board of Supervisors if the board would authorize work on the highways about the city.

COUNCILMEN ATTACKED

Mr. Beauchamp declared that several members of the Council had met secretly with Supervisor Cogswell prior to the passage of the redistricting measure and had entered into a compact to support the measure in exchange for highway work.

Vigorous denial of the charges, however, was made by practically every one of the City Councilmen, Mayor Buffum and City Manager

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IN "THE TIMES" NEXT SUNDAY

Our Naval Policy A Menace to Nation?

Outspoken analysis by Capt. Yates Stirling, Jr., commander Lin, Jefferson and Polytechnic high schools.

Do You Own Any Diamonds?

Frank Carpenter tells amazing facts about world's diamond center—methods, supply, demand, curious episodes, the effects of European upheaval, and what is likely to happen.

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Prominent Citrus Men Leave on Journey to Visit Southern Groves

Entraining on "Citrus Special"

From left to right, these prominent California growers about to board the Sunset Limited for Florida, are George C. Roeding of Fresno and San Francisco, F. R. Rork, ticket collector; L. C. Flippen and Mrs. Flippen of Orange, Mrs. W. S. Hill, Orange; Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Ames, Pasadena; Dr. J. W. Bean and Mrs. Bean, Ventura, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Emmett, Ventura, and C. C. Barr, Whittier.

REPRESENTING many sections of the State, a party of fifty-one citrus growers left Los Angeles yesterday on the Sunset Limited for a tour of Florida citrus groves and packing-houses. The men and women forming the party are occupying a special section on the Sunset Limited. They will travel by way of El Paso, San Antonio and New Orleans to Jacksonville and Tampa.

A stop of twenty-four hours is to be made in New Orleans, the Californians arriving there Saturday. Tampa will be reached Tuesday. Arrangements for the tour, including entertainment en route, were completed by Edward A. Street of the California Citrograph. He was in charge as the train left Los Angeles.

Several days are to be devoted to tours through the Florida groves and packing-houses. The Florida Fair and the Casparilla Carnival will be in progress at Tampa while the visitors are there, and one day has been set aside as California Day.

Last June a party of Florida growers visited Southern California and the members were entertained by representatives of the citrus industry. Urgent requests by the Florida men for a return visit resulted in the present tour.

Those in the party of Californians who are making the trip are: Mrs. Emma Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Utt, R. S. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Flippen, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hemphill, all of Orange; E. W. Gerry and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Emmett, Ventura; Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Bean, Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Ames, D. W. Coolidge, Miss M. Boltinhouse and Miss Trull, Pasadena; A. C. Watts and T. Ashton Fry, Hollywood; Dr. J. T. Barrett, C. C. Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stebler, Mr. and Mrs. William Farr and J. W. Colvert, Riverside; Mrs. M. H. Wibers, Rivera; Mr. and Mrs. R. M Fay, Anaheim; W. H. Smiley and Mrs. Alice Hutchinson, Whittier; A. D. Clayton, Santa Ana; Mrs. L. C. Hart, Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. George C. Roeding, Fresno and San Francisco; Harrison Kerrick, Colton; E. E. Goodale, Lemon Cove; Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Crist, El Modena; C. C. Barr, Whittier; Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Roberts, Fullerton.

VANDERLIP IS IN CITY ON BUSINESS

Project at Palos Verdes Brings Capitalist From East to the Pacific

Urgent business associated with the Palos Verdes project brought Frank A. Vanderlip, former head of the National City Bank and capitalist and economist of international renown, to Los Angeles yesterday.

Mr. Vanderlip made his westward trip in the private car of Carl Gray, president of the Union Pacific Railway. He registered at the Ambassador and then went to his downtown office.

The estate, a 16,000-acre site extending along the Pacific Ocean between Redondo Beach and San Pedro, is soon to be transformed into a civic and residential district which, when completed, will represent expenditures of $35,000,000, according to present plans of the syndicate.

Mr. Vanderlip denied himself to interviewers, explaining that he has not been in the city long enough to discuss local conditions and that he had not, while en route, kept up with current domestic, foreign and financial affairs sufficiently to grant an interview on these subjects.

His sole announcement yesterday was that at the conclusion of his work here he would grant himself a two-months' vacation in or near Los Angeles.

Mr. Vanderlip's party included Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Schwedtman and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin W. Harden, who are at the Ambassador.

Maybelle Roe Goes to Prison This Evening

After two and a half years spent in the County Jail and after three trials, in two of which she was convicted, Mrs. Maybelle Roe, slayer of McCullough Graydon in a rent row at Venice, will go to San Quentin prison. This evening she will leave for the prison in custody of Undersheriff Biscailus and Mrs. Biscailus.

The slaying of Graydon took place on September 21, 1920. Since then Oscar Bowers, now in prison, was convicted of first-degree murder for the slaying and is serving a life term.

Mrs. Roe was convicted in her second trial, but was granted a new trial. In the first trial the jury disagreed and in the third trial she was again convicted of first-degree murder. She was sentenced to life imprisonment by Judge McCormick while she lay on a cot in her cell in the County Jail.

Woman Charges Husband Pushed Her From Auto

After failing from her husband's automobile last night at the intersection of Jefferson and Griffith avenues, Mrs. Maurine Martin, 27 years of age, 3316 South San Pedro street, was taken to the Receiving Hospital with severe scalp lacerations and suffering from shock. Mrs. Martin said her husband, E. J. Martin, pushed her from the car when she tried to keep him from an appointment with another woman, police declared. Martin was locked up at the University Police Station on a charge of being intoxicated.

WOMEN'S DOPE DEN RAIDED

Chinatown Store Yields $3000 Worth of Opium; Patron Leaves Purse Behind in Flight

A woman's purse of good quality found on a cot in an asserted opium den at 310 Apablasa street, in the heart of Chinatown, gave raiding police yesterday their only clew to occupants supposed to have been in the room a few moments before they entered.

The purse contained $2, but no card or other mark of identification. The police drew the conclusion that the den was one frequented by women, who had sufficient warning to get out by another door before detectives broke in the door leading from the street.

The raid resulted in the arrest of Tom Gin, asserted proprietor, and the confiscation of almost $3000 worth of opium, some of which was of genuine Chinese origin, half a dozen pipes, the same number of lamps and other paraphernalia said to be used in smoking opium.

Detective Sergeants Mailheau, Littlejohn and Hamilton and Inspector Earl of the State Board of Pharmacy constituted the raiding party. They say they found the Chinaman with the reminiscent name in a small store full of lawful Chinese goods on the ground floor of the building. Behind a partition that divided the store was a stairway leading to the second floor.

The doorway at the head of this was locked, but one of the detectives put his foot through it and forced his way into a room containing six cots, according to the police description. Here the detectives assert they found ninety-five taels of smoking opium, about 1000 empty "toys," or small boxes in which opium is sold, pipes, lamps, weighing scales, cooking pins and so forth. A vaseline jar yielded about $900 worth of genuine "Rooster Brand" Chinese opium, detectives say, and the ninety-five taels of opium in another container are worth about $5000. Most of the opium found, the detectives say, is produced in Mexico, and the real Chinese article is a rarity.

The raid is the most important, detectives say, that they have made in that quarter in several months. Tom Gin, who gave his age as 65, was arraigned for bail. He was booked on a charge of violation of the State Poison Act.

SOLICITOR FOUGHT OFF BY WOMAN

Police Seek Subscription Agent on Charges Made by Doctor's Wife

Following a frustrated attack yesterday morning on the wife of Dr. A. Roberts, 2765 West Eighth street, police were searching for a supposed subscription agent for magazines.

Mrs. Roberts reported to Wilshire Station that she went to the door yesterday morning to answer the bell. Outside the door was a young man who represented himself as a subscription agent. When Mrs. Roberts declined to subscribe to the magazine he said he represented, he asked for a drink of water.

She told him to step inside and she would bring him a drink. As he closed the door, Mrs. Roberts reported that he grabbed her and attempted to kiss her. After a struggle, she broke away from him and ran to the telephone, which frightened him away.

She described her assailant as about 20 years of age, five feet nine inches in height, weighing about 170 pounds, and wearing a brown suit and brown soft hat.

HONOR EDISON PRESIDENT

John B. Miller of Southern California Company Given Dinner Celebrating His Long Service

Commemorating twenty-five years of service, John B. Miller, president of Southern California Edison Company, was given a complimentary dinner by the officials and employees of the company at the Alexandria last night.

The twenty-five-year service button, which is the highest of a series of buttons given every five years, was presented to Mr. Miller during the evening. Sixteen employees who have achieved the twenty-five-year rank served as a guard of honor during the presentation. When Mr. Miller joined the Edison organization in 1898 there were only twenty-nine employees and the gross earnings were less than $50,000 a year. At present there are 5000 employees and the annual revenues exceed $17,000,000. R. H. Ballard, now vice-president and general manager of the company, was the only book-keeper, and W. L. Percey, now treasurer of the company, was cashier at the time Mr. Miller came into the organization.

IS CONGRATULATED

During the evening complimentary telegrams were received from Thomas A. Edison, Samuel Insull, president of Commonwealth Edison Company, Chicago; Joseph B. McCall, Philadelphia Electric Company; Frank W. Smith, president National Electric Light Association; Mortimer Fleishhacker, president Great Western Power Compan, San Francisco; W. E. Creed and John A. Britton of Pacific Gas and Electric Company, San Francisco, S. Z. Mitchell, president Electric Bond and Share Company, New York; C. L. Edgar, president Edison Electric Illuminating Company of Boston; H. M. Byllesby, president H. M. Byllesby Company, Chicago; Albert Harris, president Harris Trust and Savings Bank, Chicago; E. W. Rollins of E. H. Rollins & Sons, Boston; James H. McGraw of McGraw-Hill Publishing Company, New York; Franklin T. Griffith, president Portland Railway, Light and Power Company, and Daniel E. Pomeroy, Bankers' Trust Company, New York.

The substance of these messages from big men connected with the industry directly and indirectly, demonstrated that Mr. Miller is held in high esteem in the great financial and business centers throughout the United States and that he has been admired for his vision, his constructive policy and his financial ability, his friends declare.

OFFICIALS SPEAK

Short addresses were made by

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TODAYS BIBLE TEXT

The RICHEST FRUITAGE:—The fruit of the Sprit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness, faith, meekness, temperance: against such there is no law.—Gal. v: 22, 23.

MODERN FAGIN IS SOUGHT HERE

Youth Held as Vagrant Tells of Beggar Chief

Declares Score Solicit Alms for Percentage

Arrests in January Set New Squad Record

Search for a "beggar chief" in Los Angeles was begun by members of the police vagrancy squad yesterday upon orders of Capt. R. Lee Heath, following the uncovering of evidence that the master beggar has a score of youths out soliciting alms under his direction.

The unusual case came to the attention of police with the arrest of James Martin on a charge of vagrancy. He had in his possession an affidavit with a notary's seal stating that he was James Hagen, that he was speechless as the result of an attack of typhoid, and asking aid in behalf of himself and his aged mother.

Police said that the youth was well able to talk and that he confessed he had been given the affidavit by a man to whom he and other youths turned in the proceeds of their begging and were paid a percentage.

In line with vagrancy cases of this nature the squad detailed to arrest idlers reported to Chief of Police Oaks yesterday that a record number of arrests had been made in January.

The arrests totaled 562, compared to 260 during December; there were 500 convictions, forty cases are pending, twenty-seven defendants were dismissed and $740 in fines was collected. December also was a record month with 253 convictions. Beggars, idlers and vagrants made up the list.

The vagrancy squad is made up of Officers Lane, Oliver, Townsend, Stanger, Heintz, Willheit, Waugh, Sheffied and Corley and is under the direction of Capt. Heath.

TWO CEMENT COMPANIES COMBINED

Half Million is Involved in Amalgamation of Two Products Plants

An amalgamation involving assets of $500,000 was completed yesterday with the announcement that the Marbelide Corporation of America had taken over the plant and assets of the American Cement Products Company.

The interests of the E. D. Blinn estate and Henry Barkschat were absorbed by the new company with all the fixed and liquid assets, including a plant and six-acre tract at the intersection of Thirty-second street and Long Beach avenue. The Marbelide Corporation is incorporated for $1,000,000, and will be headed by Henry Barkschat as president.

The American Cement Products Company was taken over ten years ago by E. D. Blinn and Mr. Barkschat. Using a patented centrifugal process to manufacture hollow concrete lamp posts, telephone and telegraph poles, sewer and high-pressure pipes, its products have become well known.

The Marbelide Company has scored a conspicuous success in manufacturing concrete electroliers and poles, which have been installed in almost every city in Southern California and many western cities. The government is a heavy user of their products.

Negotiations for the amalgamation which have been pending for several months, were conducted through R. T. Leonards & Co., and Stephen A. Barber, Pasadena capitalist.

FILM STAR'S MARRIAGE NEAR

Harold Lloyd and Mildred Davis Tacitly Admit Engagement and Marriage Is Expected Soon

The engagement of Harold Lloyd and Mildred Davis, long suspected but only tacitly admitted by the pair, will reach fulfillment in their marriage within the next few days.

The understanding among friends of Mr. Lloyd and Miss Davis is that they will be married Sunday, unless they suddenly decide to surprise everybody by eloping either tomorrow or Saturday. Nobody is to know about the wedding until it is over and so closely have they kept the secret that even their best friends are not quite sure of the exact hour.

Lloyd refers all questions concerning the event to Miss Davis and the latter has made every effort to elude questions concerning the time of their marriage popped at her by personal friends as well as by newspaper reporters. When a reporter visited her home yesterday he was informed that Miss Davis was ill and that as a consequence she could not see anybody. When he called her on the telephone about an hour later he was informed that Miss Davis was out for the evening.

"Why an hour ago I was told that Miss Davis was ill," he exclaimed.

"Well-er-er, she has gone over to see the doctor."

"DR. JACK" PERHAPS

"Oh!" answered the reporter. He subsequently recollected that the name of Lloyd's latest picture is "Dr. Jack" and concluded that there might be some connection between the two statements after all. It is pretty generally understood, anyway, that "Dr. Jack" could furnish the necessary prescription to cure Miss Davis of any complaint from which she might at present be suffering.

Lloyd is one of the most successful comedians on the screen and he is still in his twenties. He has been regarded as one of the most eligible young bachelors in filmdom. With the exception of a friendship for Bebe Daniels, which at one time, it was reported might culminate in marriage, he has confined his attentions practically exclusively to Miss Davis, who is 20 years of age.

Until very recently she was the leading woman in his comedies. She left him to engage in a feature production and it is understood that the separation, brief though it was, hastened their intention to get married.

Harold first became acquainted with Mildred via the screen. From her home in Tacoma she had come south as a schoolgirl to try picture work and had been successful in getting a small part at the Metro studio. Later she returned to her home and resumed her studies at a girls' finishing school.

SAW HER ON SCREEN

Lloyd saw her on the screen and she made an impression on his mind almost immediately. Shortly after he had seen the film, Bebe Daniels signed with Lasky and in casting about for a new leading woman he bethought himself of the girl who had attracted his attention on the screen.

The company made an effort to trace her but owing to the fact that she had gone north again, it was several months before they could locate her. She immediately signed the contract that Hal E. Roach offered her and has played

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STOCKYARDS HIT BY CATTLEMEN

Southwestern, Denver Men Back Los Angeles Plan

F. H. Bixby Reelected Chief of National Association

Supports Resolution Opposing Local Institution

Despite support for the Los Angeles Union Stockyards by the representatives of the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Growers' Association and other organizations, a resolution opposing the institution was passed and officers were elected there during the stockyards' sessions at yesterday's meeting of the American National Live-stock Association. The annual meeting of the association closed last night with a banquet at the Ambassador hotel, which was devoted to publicities.

The officers elected were: Fred H. Bixby of Long Beach, (reelected president; W. E. Barnes, Salt Lake City; H. L. Herin, Omaha; [illegible] Reville, Tex., and H. O. Stone, also Texas, vice presidents, and H. A. Jastro, Richeson Bixby, C. T. Fryer, Ben Ammen (Butte), Thad Thorp, Phoenix, and John H. Beacher, Sheridan, Wyo., honorary vice-presidents.

Mr. Bixby's reelection followed an speech in support of the resolution opposing the stockyards, in which he declared the Chamber of Commerce committee had never given agricultural interests a hearing before it opposed the stockyards project, despite the advice of "practical producers."

FOR THE STOCKYARDS

Speaking for the forces directing the stockyards in the conventions were W. H. Anderson of the Texas and Southwestern cattlemen's association, and Ben Ali Miller of Denver, chairman of the association's finance committee. They said only a handful of cattlemen among the 5000 delegates, however, and the affirmative votes for the resolution were in the majority.

"The bill under that passed," Mr. Anderson told the audience, "There is not one in fighting individual or association in Texas that is not absolutely and utterly unfriendly to the stockyards at Los Angeles. If you find that the better element, and if you extend your sympathies to all stockyards as the guests of Manager J. H. McNaughton.

Free car transportation was provided by the stockyards company to the 5000 visitors, some of whom made the trip in the "pullmans" of the cattle trains. Many were presented with an ornate souvenir showing the administration building. Most of the delegates praised the buildings and equipment.

TWO CAR TRAINS ON

San Pedro-Western Avenue Line Given Added Service

Two-car train service on line "F" (San Pedro and Western avenue) has been started in the evening rush hour, according to G. J. Kohrs, general manager of the Los Angeles Railway. Six of these trains are in operation, making a total of fifty-two cars on the line. The cars used in trains on line "F" are similar to those on the Grand and Manchester lines. Fifty of these cars were delivered to the company late last year, and delivery is promised on an additional order of twenty-five cars within a few months.

The Los Angeles Railway is preparing to construct the new crossover at the type in a new rail being erected at the main shops at the intersection of Fifty-third street and South Park avenue.

LOS ANGELES BOY SCOUTS GREET CHIEF

National Executive Arrives to Aid Membership Campaign

Welcoming National Official

Left to right: James E. West, national chief Scout executive; boys of Troop No. 121, Alfred Wright, Milton Middlebrook and Reed Hunter; H. H. Rhodick.

[illegible] the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce would meet early tomorrow morning [illegible] and that there "has been and still is manipulation" of [illegible] by the Los Angeles committee.

He said he was "pitifully disinterested" that the Union Pacific intends [illegible] spend one cent of this money after the Los Angeles committee.

The resolution, retitled that the Stockyards association of California, Nevada and in part of Utah opposed objectionable and favored [illegible] cattle feeds. Harms, said that the national association supported their stand.

At the morning session of the convention Walter Hadley of Denver addressed the cattlemen of the cattle industry.

C. B. Heineman, vice-president of the American Institute of Meat Packers, spoke on the relations of packers to cattlemen.

The convention then adjourned to permit the delegates to [illegible] with the stockyards as the guests of Manager J. H. McNaughton.

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Mayor Brands "King" Ealey's Expose "Absurd"

Mayor Cryer yesterday read the asserted "confession" of John M. Ealey, so-called "Negro King of United avenue." He estimated the [illegible] there the "confession," which [illegible] said to have consisted of approximately fifteen questions and answers, that he would issue a formal statement concerning the matter. After acquainting himself with the contents of the rumored expose of "higher-ups" in the city government, however, the declared the charges "absurd" and the whole matter one which should be dealt with by Chief of Police Oaks.

Ealey was arrested on a charge of extortion and was asserted to have stated he had divided receipts gained from "thirst" with an prominent city official. Upon [illegible] after being arraigned, announced he would launch an investigation of the charges. The contents of the so-called "confession" were not made public.

Pioneer Realty Dealer of City Passes Beyond

One of the city's pioneer real estate dealers passed yesterday when Francis Chas., 72 years of age, died at his home, 1138 East Twenty-fifth street.

Mr. Chas came to Los Angeles thirty-nine years ago and engaged in the real estate business, in which he was active until a few years ago. He was prominent in the affairs of the Christian Science Church here, having at one time been a reader.

He leaves two nieces, both of Los Angeles, who are Mrs. Ilma M. Roberts and Miss Marion Chas.

Funeral services will be conducted Saturday at 11 a.m. from Pierce Brothers' chapel, with burial in Evergreen Cemetery.

WELCOMED to Los Angeles by an illness of thousands James E. West, national chief executive, was greeted yesterday noon at the Southern Pacific station by Troop No. 121, Los Angeles Boy Scouts. Headed by the troop bugle, Mr. West was hoisted from the depot to the Alexandria in an [illegible] car, escorted by the scouts. He is here to stimulate interest in the Boy Scouts, the national organization of which he is campaigning for 600,000 members by the 15th inst.

Among the scout officials who were at the station to greet Mr. West were Scout Master H. H. Rhodick, Malcolm McNaughton and Alfred Wright. As luncheon was tendered Mr. West immediately after his arrival at the California Club by the officials of the Los Angeles Boy Scout Council. Those present included Arthur Letts, president, W. K. Harrah, Hancock Banning, Jr., Dr. H. E. Huntington, J. E. Jardine, Middleton McNaughton, Clinton Miller, Dan B. Miner, Andrew Mullen, Stuart O'Melveny, I. J. Rattenbury, Ralph Reynolds, H. J. Schinder, R. M. Shaboorny, Roy C. Storey, L. W. Sterr, Charles H. Toll, S. L. Weaver and Alfred Wright.

In Mr. West's honor, a rally and dinner were conducted at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium at 6:30 o'clock last evening, at which Arthur Letts presided and Chief Administrator McKinney, chaplain at West Point, and Douglas MacArthur, was toastmaster. An address was made by Stuart W. Prentice of Pasadena, and there was singing by Mayor Spence Robinson of Glendale and Harry Gleason of the Glendale Council. Music was furnished by the Boy Scout band of Los Angeles.

"Only the surface has been scratched, only the high tops of the high hills have been touched in Boy Scout work," Mr. West said in addressing the troop leaders of Southern California during the meeting.

Mr. West then went on to say that the Boy Scout movement has proved its practical and substantial value to society and with the support of the leading men of the country behind it its progress in the next few years should be phenomenal.

Since Mr. Wertz last visit the California three years ago the number of Boy Scouts has more than trebled and every district in the entire State has now at least one troop.

Mr. West will remain here until Sunday, attending a series of meetings with the Boy Scouts and scout officials of Southern California. Today he will be the guest of Douglas Mathews, William G. McAdoo and Thomas Hatten. Tomorrow morning he will address a high school assembly of the Boy Scouts of Southern California in the Hillstreet Theater. Tomorrow night an dinner will be tendered him by the scout executive of Southern California at the University Club.

EDISON FIRM HEAD HONORED

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R. H. Ballard, vice-president and general manager; S. M. Kennedy and G. C. Ward, vice-presidents; George H. Cothran and Henry M. Robinson, directors; H. W. Hoppy, general counsel; H. F. Pearson, manager of operations, and W. A. Raymaker, chief superintendent of construction. These men have been associated with Mr. Miller for many years, and the occasion was as great an delight to them as it was to their president, they said.

In accepting the twenty-five-year button, Mr. Miller said in part:

"During my career I have received tokens from numerous organizations, all of which I prize highly, but nothing has ever been presented to me which makes with this gold button that has just been pinned on my lapel.

"When I think of what we have been through, twenty-five years seems like a long time, but when I look at these twenty-five men gathered around me, it seems but a short while that we have all been working together."

At the conclusion of the program a painting by John M. Gamble, entitled, "Spring in the Desert," was presented to Mr. Miller by the officers and men of the Edison company.

GOING ABROAD

William A. Bryan, director of the Los Angeles Museum, yesterday applied for a passport to enable him to make a research trip to Central America, at the office of the Clerk of the United States District Court. W. L. Valentine, president of the Fullerton Oil Company, made a similar application to make a trip to Europe. He will be accompanied by his wife and they will join a daughter who is already in Paris.

VENICE RAIDS BEING AIRED

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land stated emphatically that he was not a member of the organization and did not know of any member on the force who belonged to the Klan. He indicated, however, that there might be members of the organization on the force without his knowledge.

"If there are members of that organization in the force, which I am unaware of at present," Chief McClanahand said, "they have not made their presence known by any violations of rules or neglect of duty. The men have performed their duties to the letter and have never exercised any undue force or been guilty of any brutality in the performance of their duties. I did find out, however, that one man whom I dismissed recently was a member of the Klan."

SAYS WARRANTS ISSUED

"Every place entered," Chief McClanahand said, "was proceeded by the issuance of a search warrant. All the raids which have been conducted, especially the liquor raids, since I have been in office, have been made in my presence and under my orders."

Chief McClanahand declared that most of the liquor stills which have been seized by Venice police recently have been obtained from side or private sources.

"Of course there has been considerable bootlegging in Venice, but no more than in other places," Chief McClanahand said. "But there has been a marked decrease in that activity since I have taken office."

Chief McClanahand took office as Chief of Police last November 20, succeeding William M. Cavanaugh, former United States Marshal, who sat as register meeting of the City Board of Trustees was unanimously elected from the office. McClanahand announced upon taking office that the first would lay around Venice loafing dens. Chief McClanahand for four years was liquor enforcement officer in Riverside county, Mrs., before coming to Venice several months ago.

TWENTY SQUEAKS

At present there are about sixteen regular officers on the police force at Venice, but since Chief McClanahand came into office seven additional men have been sworn in as special officers by Chief McClanahand. These men were appointed, the Chief said, to provide for any emergency that might arise. It is against many of these men that charges have been made that they are members of the Klan or that they have used their appointments through their appointments.

The investigation was called two days ago, following complaints made by several persons to T. H. Griffin and Claude Smith, special representatives of the District Attorney's office in the Bay district, and statements made by three persons who were questioned at the District Attorney's office. The persons involved were H. D. Clark, manager of the Ambers Hotel, George Friedland and Tony Granvento, all of Venice.

REDISTRICTING SIRS UP STATE

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Windham declared they were in active ignorance of the plan to redistrict the county and divide the city into two districts until the plan had been passed by the supervisors.

At the conclusion of the meeting an committee, to be known as the Long Beach county committee, was appointed by the chairman to cooperate with other organizations to further the secession plan and the efforts to recall Supervisor McClellan.

The committee consists of J. H. Davis, chairman; Fred H. Dill, W. M. Cook, O. S. Peacock, M. O. C. Todd, H. J. Gillette, W. H. Holder, John F. Craig, George M. Shiver and Henry P. Harbour.

The following statement was issued by Chairman McClellan, of the Board of Supervisors today:

"Apparently, the action of the Board of Supervisors in redistricting the county of Los Angeles into five supervisorial districts has excited some adverse comment in Long Beach and it is fitting and proper that the public should know the facts.

"It is the mandate of the law that the Board of Supervisors shall subdivide the county into supervisorial districts and said districts shall be as nearly equal in population as may be."

RAPID GROWTH CITED

"By reason of the rapid growth of Los Angeles county the registration of voters in the respective districts at the last general election was as follows:

"First district, 96,779; second district, 70,009; third district, 66,857; fourth district, 138,285; fifth district, 65,606.

"So it can be seen at a glance that the fourth district, being the old district in which Long Beach was located, most of necessary be subdivided and some territory added to each of the other four districts. The result was that it was necessary to the city of Long Beach, as the and the city of Pasadena, being larger centers of population, to place an portion in each of two or more supervisorial districts, with the result that at the present time the registration in the five districts is as follows:

"Fifth district, 98,811; second district, 96,784; third district, 93,080; fourth district, 89,975; fifth district, 79,922.

"This puts nearly 100,000 registration out of the fourth supervisorial district so that the obvious answer to the charge that an effort was being made to prevent Long Beach from controlling the supervisorial districts answered by the fact that with one-half of Long Beach in the present supervisorial district they have a greater proportion of voters than they had in the old district, or when the whole of the city of Long Beach was in the old district.

"The Board of Supervisors, in making this division, have tried to act fairly and impartially and have had only the welfare of the country at heart."

WAR MOTHERS TO MEET

American War Mothers will meet at 2 p.m. today at the Disabled Veterans Building, 946 South Hill street. All War Mothers now visiting in Los Angeles are invited.

SIDDURSKY WILL SPEAK

The Hebrew Christian Alliance of America, with the Gentile friends of that organization, will meet this evening at 1234 West Slauson avenue. Evangelist Philip Siderksy will speak on the recent development of the Zionist movement.

COUNCIL BACKS REFORM DRIVE

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onded by Mr. Mitchell. All the Councilmen present voted for them with the exception of Mr. Wheeler, who, however, objected to only one clause in the program, that of the two-thirds verdict. Otherwise he approved it.

TEXT OF RESOLUTIONS

The text of the resolutions, which include a summary of the various bills proposed or to be proposed, reads as follows:

"Whereas, the difficulties of enforcing justice in our courts have brought about a condition that makes for crime among the criminally inclined; and

"Whereas, said difficulties appear to be due for the most part to the mechanical difficulties of the relations between judge and jury, the functionings of each and inadequate penalties for crime of a serious nature, and

"Whereas, a program of penal reform, including two amendments to the State constitution, has been adopted by the Los Angeles Crime Commission and the Los Angeles County Bar Association, said program, being summarized as follows:

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...I PROGRAM IS ...NE OF VARIETY

...l and Instrumental Solos Features of Evening

...mation Contest During Children's Period

...Storke Gives Lecture on "Fixed Ideals"

...sners-in found yesterday's ...most one in which variety ...minated. The final broadcast ...day gave them soprano solos, ...istry of two pianists, violin ..., saxophone numbers, ...guitar melody, a lecture and a ... In the children's period ...soprano solos and a declama... contest in which there was a ...medal award. During the aft... concert a tenor and a so... were heard as well as an ...stra and a violin solo. ...ly here was sufficient variety ...ase the multitude.

...am Pilcher, whose reputa... as a meritorious tenor is un...ted in the Southland, and ...s a large following in radio... opened the afternoon con... with "Charming Suzanna," a ...al composition of S. O. ..., a Los Angeles composer, ...n honor of the occasion, ...h his orchestra to KHJ to ...pany Mr. Pilcher in inter... this new song. Noontime ...rs became insistent for a ...ion of this selection to ... Mr. Pilcher and the orches... ...sented. Mr. Pilcher also ...ted two other solos—"My ... Pretty One," an old En... song by McFarren, and "Re..." by Hammond.

VIOLIN SOLO FEATURE

...mber of the Loredo orches... Arthur Faeder, graciously of... to present a violin solo and ... charming rendition of Cad... "At Dawning," to the ac...iment of Carrie Preston ...ter.

...beth Mottern, soprano, ac...ed by Mary Taylor, shared ... in the afternoon broadcast ... Pilcher, presenting four ... solos which included ...serenata," by Tosti; "Oh Love ... Day," by Beach; "Goodbye, ... Day," by Hannah, and "Roses ...Hardy," by Hayden Wood.

...feature of the children's pro... was a declamation contest ... pupils of Clara Della Wea... John Welborn, 13 years of ..., Mary Wallace McLaughlin, ...ise M. Westberg, 13; Isabel ..., 12, and Bernice R. West... 9. Judges in the contest ... Mrs. Aletha Gilbert, Sid ..., and "Uncle John," and ... prize was awarded a gold ... presented by the Los An... W.C.T.U. The young people ...d themselves possessed of ... ability and it was a difficult ... the judges to determine which ...ould entitled to the medal.

...se O'Connor, soprano, accom...ied by Grace Eaton Dow, be... singing for the kiddies in the ... program, took a prominent ... in the final concert, giving ...ellent interpretation to "Vissi ...a," from "Tosca," by Puccini, ..., by Curran, "To an Old ..." by John Prindle Scott, and ... ...ose vaxiant des ailes," by ... Miss O'Connor's voice car... a charming quality, is of sur... ...ding range and is marked by a ...arm that is inspiring.

...Grace Eaton Dow, whose ability ... a pianist is quickly recognized ... all who hear her, favored with ... piano solo—"Nocturne," from ..."Mignon," by Schutt. Miss ... has gained an enviable reputa... in the Southland for her ...ful piano interpretations, and ... artists find in her sympa... understanding a material ...stance in their work.

HORTON AT PIANO

...Horton, organist at the ... Theater, came over to ... between periods when "he ... the public," at the Grand... playhouse, to quote Ed... ...ensured acquaintance ... his many champions in the ... family. Mr. Horton has the ... to put a certain zest into ... piano interpretations that is ...ated by every listener. It mat... not whether he plays classic ...occupied jazz, his work is al... distinctly "Eddie Horton"—... other words he gives to his ar...

Beth Woodruff Nordwall Concert, KHJ Offering Tonight

Ruth K. Seelye, soprano.

Beth Woodruff Nordwall, mezzo soprano.

Mildred McGrath, accompanist.

Mary Hopkins, pianist.

Mona Clapp, child reader.

Geneve Zubrinsky, violinist.

Cornelius Buckley, tenor.

Day's Broadcast to Bring Their Artistry to You

...tistry an individual touch that is at once appreciated.

Elsie Manion, who, through numerous appearances on KHJ concert programs, has perhaps as wide a reputation in radioland as any violinist in Southern California, presented listeners-in with a generous portion of true violin artistry last night, accompanied by Grace Eaton Dow. Miss Manion has marked interpretative ability, throwing her whole soul into the expression of difficult scores. Faultless technique and delicate shading are pre-eminent in her solo work and these have been important factors in winning for her a large following among lovers of good music.

C. Knutson, harp-guitar soloist, another frequent entertainer from KHJ, carried radio folk through several minutes of dreamy music, such as only the harp-guitar under capable fingers can produce. He proves himself a master of this type of music and made radio folk demand encores through his creditable performance last night.

Little Margaret Brannen, whom radioland claims as its own and whose saxophone solos from KHJ always bring a flood of mail and telephone commendations, took part in last night's feature broadcast, giving listeners five solos in her inimitable style.

Little Margaret, who has been blind from birth, is a born musician. She is equally proficient on saxophone, violin or piano, and her ability to make people happy through giving of her musical ability is her chief inspiration.

Dr. Eugene Francis Storke, lecturer of world-wide reputation, gave another of his weekly lectures last night, this time having as his theme "Fixed Ideas and What They Mean." His expression left the listener in a frame of mind where doubt and assurance joined hands on a fifty-fifty basis. He told his invisible audience that a fixed idea can work their salvation or their ruin, depending upon the fundamentals of the idea. He contends that fixed ideas rule the world—also wreck it. He traced concrete examples of how fixed ideas find expression in everything we have; in everything we do. The main food for thought which he left with his listeners was that they should show a wise choice in fixing their ideas, which, if right, should be clung to "with all the tenacity of the original sin."

SAN QUENTIN FOR PROBATION BREAKER

John D. O'Malley failed to live up to the terms of his probation, it was decided yesterday by Judge Reeve, who revoked the order granting probation and sentenced O'Malley to San Quentin for from one to fourteen years.

O'Malley had pleaded guilty to forgery of the name of Fulgencio Luna to a check for $5. He was granted probation of three years on August 24 last.

Probation Officer Neily reported to the court that O'Malley did not live up to the terms of probation and had served a sentence of fifty days in jail for vagrancy.

It was charged that O'Malley posed as a sailor from San Diego who had been robbed and needed money to get back to his post before he became a deserter. In this way, it was charged, he obtained money.

ANCIENT SLANDER SUIT IS DROPPED

A slander suit pending several years between Ralph M. Seay and George E. Marsh, both of Long Beach, was dismissed yesterday by Judge Burnell in Superior Court by consent of both parties.

Seay had asked $25,000 damages, declaring Marsh had circulated reports damaging to his financial standing and reputation.

K-H-J The Times RADIOPHONE

TODAY'S PROGRAM

12:30 to 1:15 p.m. Mary Sharp Sibley, soprano, accompanied by Mrs. Earle Jenny, will sing "I've Been Roaming," by Horne; "The Little Damozel," by Novello; "Tommy Lad," by Margetson; "Je Sais," by Christine. News items.

6:45 to 7:30 p.m. Through courtesy of Grauman's Theater, Ruth Seelye, soprano, accompanied by Mildred McGrath will sing "The Chrysanthemum," by Salter; "Stewed Fruit," by Florence Turner; "Chinese Lullaby," by Bowers; "Be, Baby, Bye," by Clayton Johns; "A Child's Prayer," by J. Harold. Nona Clapp, artist pupil of Marshall Stedman, will recite "Elizabeth," by Marshall Stedman. Also Nona will sing "A Little Puff of Smoke, Good-Bye," and "Chinese Lullaby." Bedtime story.

8:00 to 9:30 p.m. Program arranged through courtesy of Beth Woodruff Nordwall, mezzo-soprano, who accompanied by Mary Hopkins, pianist, and accompanist for the artists, will sing "Like the Rosebud," by La Forge; "A Little Coon's Prayer," by Hope; "The Last Hour," by Cramer; "My Mother Bids Me Bind My Hair," by Haydn; "Home, Sweet Home," by Sir Henry Bishop. Last song sung to organ accompaniment. Genevieve Zubrinsky, violinist, artist pupil and assistant teacher to Christian Timmer, will play "Zigeunerweisen," by Sarasate, and "Harlequin Serenade," by Drigo. William H. Travis, cornetist, will play "Folk Songs" and "Russian Fantasie," by Levy. Cornelius Buckley, tenor, will sing "La Seranata," by Tosti; "Vale," by Kennedy Russell; "Friend of Mine," by Sanderson. Mary Hopkins, pianist, will play "Silver Spring," Op. 6 by Mason; "Old Black Joe," "Paraphrase de Concert" (Op. 33) by Gimbel; "Valse in G Flat," (Op. 70, No. 1) by Chopin. Duet by Mrs. Nordwall and Mr. Buckley, "Whispering Hope," by Hawthorne. News items.

HONOR POST OFFICERS

A reception to the newly elected officers of Stanton Post and Corps will be held this evening at Patriotic Hall, 1816 South Figueroa street. A program has been arranged and friends are invited.

Listening in KHJ

ON THE AIR TODAY

7 to 7:30 a.m., KUS, City Dye Works.
12 to 12:30 p.m., KUS, City Dye Works.
12:30 to 1:15 p.m., KHJ, TIMES, 400 meters.
2 to 3 p.m., KUS, City Dye Works.
3 to 4 p.m., KNS, Long Beach.
4 to 4:30 p.m., KUS, City Dye Works; KFAW, Santa Ana.
4:30 to 5 p.m., KFAC, Glendale.
5 to 5:30 p.m., KOO, Herald.
5 to 6 p.m., KGO, Alameda.
6 to 6:45 p.m., KUS, City Dye Works.
6 to 6:30 p.m., KHJ, TIMES, 400 meters.
6:45 to 7:30 p.m., KHJ, TIMES, 400 meters.
8 to 8:40 p.m., KNS, Long Beach.
8 to 11 p.m., KFI, Anthony.

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—Bullock's Girls' Store, Fifth Floor.

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THE WAIST PLACES

It seems a pity that a man should be hugging a delusion when so many attractive twenty-two-inch waists are going to waste.

NEEDED MUZZLING

Speaking of a social affair in Constantinople, an American observer wrote to her home paper that the Turkish women still came in their yashmaks. The puzzled printer got it into type as "gas masks," which wasn't so bad when you come to think of it.

BADLY MANAGED

Reports made through the Coal Commission set forth that there are 200,000 more coal miners in the country than are needed and that more mines are being operated than are essential. Instead of a coal famine there should be overproduction. The industry is not on a practical basis and the unions have wrecked their end of it. A fact-finding body generally turns out to be a fault-finding one.

SOMETHING ON FOOT

It seemed to be the verdict of those present at the convention of the Retail Shoe Dealers of America that a real lady could not possibly get along on less than twelve pairs of shoes a year. This would be a pair a month, but, of course, there are shoes for special occasions that do not count with the regular run. With shoes costing around $12 a pair it may be seen what the average husband is up against. If it is going to cost $150 a year to keep a woman from going barefooted, what has become of the old-fashioned schedule which showed how a lady could dress completely on $109 a year?

THE BIG PROBLEM

President Harding admits that he has no practical plan for the stabilization of Europe or the adjustment of economic conditions. This is a confession that no Senator would make, yet it is significant that no American has yet contributed more than a few loose words to the situation. There is much general conversation and gruff suggestion that Europe must go to work and save its money, but when it comes to offering an intelligent program for the settlement of the various economic and financial obligations of Europe the Senators might as well have been born deaf and dumb. Some of them would be better dumb, at any rate.

RELIGION AND RADIO

In England the churches are objecting to the extension of radio service and equipment. It is claimed that the concerts and other entertainment on the air interfere with attendance at the sanctuary. Some regulation is sought. If there were a wireless outfit in every home lots of people would never go to church. They would get the whole Sunday service out of the air—sermon and all. They might even cease to feel the necessity of maintaining the church organization. That is why the church in England is disturbed. But it doesn't furnish a situation to worry about it. Here the radio dissemination appear to stimulate the appetite for other good things. Church attendance is being invigorated if anything. The theologians should not grieve if the people are getting music and other features with their aerial pabulum. There is room and glory enough for all.

THE HOME FIRES BURNING

The big department stores now have educational directors, who mix diplomacy with merchandising. They not only keep their fingers on the public pulse, but speed it up a few beats every now and then. At the annual conference on household management one of these experts gave some practical advice on keeping the vampire out of the home. If the wife negotiates her breakfast in a tacky kimono and with her hair awry she is in a fair way to lose her spouse. He will not always stand for that sort of stuff. The vampire never makes any mistakes of that kind. She is always dressed up and never looks the soiled and dirty thing she may be in private life.

According to this expert women must make and keep themselves attractive in the home if they hope to hold the love and affection of their lords. The dowdy woman who wears a tattered cap, a soiled Mother Hubbard and ragged slippers at her household duties is taking a long chance on Friend Husband. Dainty but simple gowns may have had much to do with winning him in sweetheart days. They are equally important in keeping his love and respect after the wedding bells have rung. Women are apt to forget this. They may think a husband captured is a husband tamed. Yet he will run away some day to the lure of a newer and prettier skirt. The intelligent wife will not suffer herself to become drab or stale.

It is really easier for a woman to do her housework when she is dressed neatly and in order. Dainty and spotless garments are an inspiration for good housekeeping. The wife who is cleanly and careful as to her personal appearance will have a shining and unsullied home. Also her chance for retaining the unbroken admiration of the husband is mighty good.

This expert may be worth listening to.

PUTTING TEETH IN THE LAW

The Statewide campaign to combat crime and to discourage criminals is proceeding along practical, efficient lines. It is backed by the law-abiding people of California. It is indorsed by bench and bar, by police officials and civic organizations. It is a stern and determined move to wipe out the blot of rampant lawlessness. It holds out the hope of protection for life and property. It holds over the head of the criminal punitive measures with teeth in them.

Two proposed constitutional amendments designed to combat and prevent crime and expedite criminal trials have been introduced in the California Legislature. One proposes to change the constitution to permit a three-fourths verdict by juries trying criminal cases and the second would permit judges to advise juries as to the facts in the case and their bearing on the verdict.

These amendments have been introduced. It remains only for the Legislature to submit them to the vote of the people. Then, if ratified at the polls, the arm of the law, in the opinion of jurists and police officials, will have been greatly strengthened.

Throughout the State people are thoroughly aroused to the menace of lawlessness. The increase in crime has become a serious menace and people are insistently urging their representatives in the Legislature to submit these reasonable and effective proposals to the vote of the people. Judges and other men whose experience particularly qualifies them to understand the situation are emphatically and unqualifiedly in support of the proposals and the overwhelming weight of popular opinion appears to be back of them.

Six amendments to the Political Code have also been introduced in the State Legislature. The stated object of these proposed amendments is to enable the State to increase its powers to suppress and discourage violent crimes. Legislative proponents of the amendments say that the crime wave has become so serious a menace to the welfare of the community that it must be met and overcome with measures adequately drastic.

In Los Angeles the Crime Commission, supported by bench and bar, police officials and City Council, has already succeeded in putting into effect a portion of a program to suppress violent crime. The police force has been strengthened by vote of the City Council. It has since been reorganized in some departments by Chief Oaks with the specific object of combatting crime.

Now it becomes necessary to put a few more teeth into the laws and the measures introduced in Sacramento are for that purpose. For the sake of the good name of California and of its law-abiding people it is to be hoped that the Legislature will promptly arrange to submit these measures to vote of the people.

The door of opportunity still swings wide to the honest man in California, but an awakened citizenship has determined that the way of the transgressor shall be hard.

OUR CONSULAR SERVICE

Secretary Hughes is determined to establish a strong, consistent and progressive foreign policy for the United States. He accepted his present position fully realising the tremendous responsibility it involved; already he has made the power and authority of his country felt in the international movements of the world.

But if the Secretary of State is to accomplish the task he has mapped out for himself he must be intelligently informed at first hand of what is transpiring in foreign countries—he must obtain information ahead of the event—he must get the facts.

To do this he has to rely on the embassies, consulates and diplomatic servants appointed to the various nations with which this government has friendly relations. And, of course, the value of the office depends on the personnel of the officeholders.

Secretary Hughes believes such important positions should attract the best intellects of the land since actions that affect the whole trend of civilization may wait on information they furnish—or omit to furnish—to the State Department.

The financial remuneration of such posts, however, does not attract the same high brand of trained experts that similar positions in the business world command. Indeed, the expenses attached to the more important embassies so far exceed the salaries offered that only those blessed with large private means can afford to undertake their high responsibilities.

This does not imply that men of wealth are incompetent to fill a place in the foreign diplomatic service of the nation. Many have done so with credit to themselves and to their country. But these important posts should not be restricted to men of independent means.

Secretary Hughes wishes to see our diplomatic foreign service improved so that the United States can send on foreign missions of state alert, trained, young American specialists, capable of holding their own with the diplomats of Europe with the same certitude shown by the American business agents abroad, let us say—of the Standard Oil Company.

But the Standard Oil Company would not have been so successful in foreign fields if it had restricted its agencies abroad to men of independent incomes.

GOLDEN WEDDINGS

We hope the whole wide world will take note of the fact that when a local theater gave a special performance and reception to which only couples that had been married fifty years or more were invited 250 persons attended.

While divorce is not unknown in Los Angeles and its environs, the world in general is likely to get wholly erroneous ideas of the high percentage of fidelity and happy married life here. One reason for that is that there are here an unusually large number of notable, exceptional and outstanding people, and some of them, like other people, get into the divorce courts. The natural result is wide publicity. Any divorce case, no matter how unimportant in the public eye, is a matter of news, whereas the cases of 100 couples who live happily together in the same neighborhood a divorce case comes from are so much the expected and regular thing that no mention is made of them.

There are—as yet—bigger cities in the United States than Los Angeles, but it is doubtful if any of them can produce 125 couples who have celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at any one gathering. If Chicago or New York can beat that record let them step right out and do it.

In fact, Southern California probably has a higher percentage of happy homes than any other region. That's natural. People who are grouches elsewhere become pleasant company after imbibing the health and sweetness of Southern California air. Folks who couldn't live happily anywhere else get along splendidly here, and anyone who couldn't live in peace and harmony here couldn't anywhere.

PANAMA CANAL DEFENSES

Brig.-Gen. B. H. Wells of the United States War Plans Section, after a series of practical tests and scientific investigations, acquaints the public with the unpleasant fact that the Panama Canal along the entire fifty-mile stretch of territory between Balboa and Colon is practically at the mercy of any powerful enemy.

Army officers, including Gen. Pershing, agree almost unanimously with the views expressed by Brig.-Gen. Wells. Fortification experts contend that Congress should without delay vote funds sufficient to provide for several batteries of sixteen-inch guns of 50,000-yard range to insure the safety of our transcontinental waterway.

Ample provision has been made for defending the entrances to the canal from naval attack, but this, after all, is but a partial defense. Wherever a point is left unguarded between the Atlantic and the Pacific there is a weak link in the chain and the strength of the whole defense is the strength of that weak link.

The prestige of the United States would be lowered in the eyes of the world and the morale of our own people would suffer should, even for a brief period, an enemy be able to in any place puncture this national artery. Moreover, the material damage that might thus be inflicted on the construction works and locks and banks of the canal would exceed by an immense amount the cost of providing the necessary batteries.

In addition to this a block of the Panama Canal in case of war would dislocate the defense plans of the Navy Department and throw all naval maneuvers into confusion by breaking the connection between our Pacific and Atlantic fleets.

At all costs the country must insure this public investment against every possible form of assault from sea or earth or sky. The canal is a great national highway of peace and in the cause of peace must be secure against the dangers of war. Defense is not defiance. The nation may never need to use those sixteen-inch guns. But, if we ever do need them, we shall need them badly—and in a hurry.

No State is more vitally interested in the Panama Canal than the State of California—no port will figure so largely in its future as the harbor of Los Angeles. Our people therefore have an especial interest in seeing that Congress provides for its adequate defense.

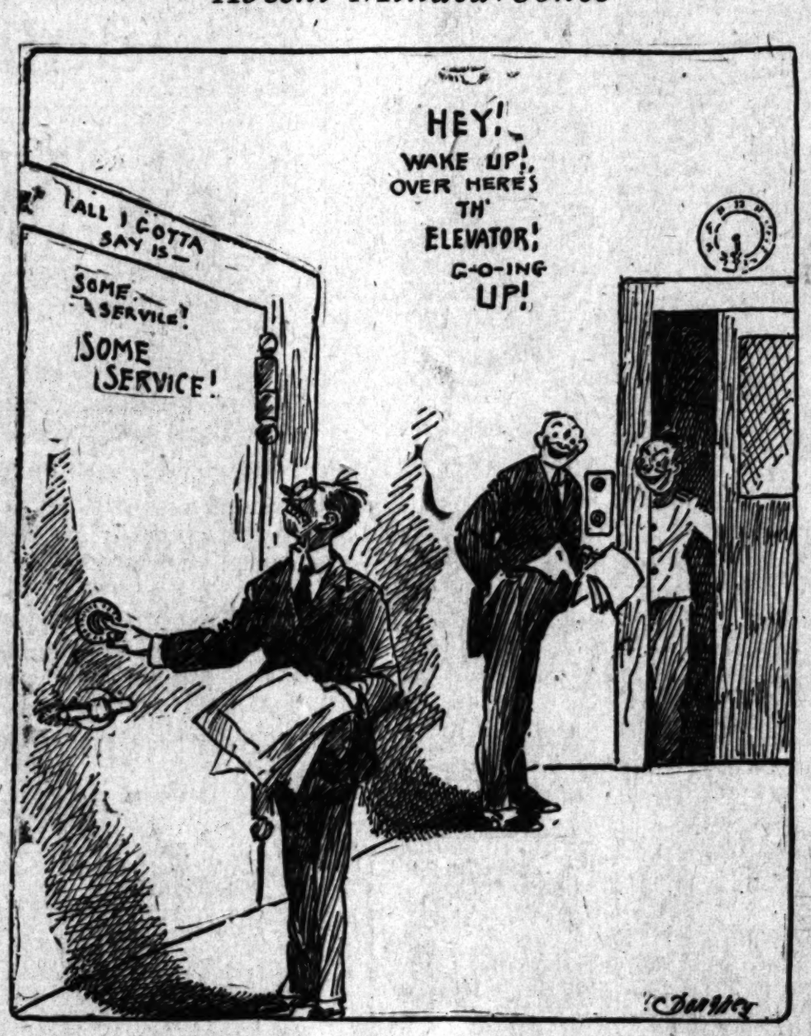
RENT PROFITEERING

The government seems also to be at the mercy of rent profiteers. Part of the Attorney-General's office is in rented quarters. The administration has been paying $37,500 a year under a lease. Now the lease expires and the landlord is demanding $300,000 a year before he will consent to a new contract. Even Uncle Sam is sure that a 900 per cent advance in rentals is too much. He should be the leader in the own-your-own-home movement. The government should never pay rent.

DAY BY DAY

It seems a bit odd, but the big contractors are our greatest expansionists. This illustrates the elasticity of our language. The more they contract the more we expand—and we have some expansion to show for last year's contracting.

Absent-Minded Jones



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HUMORISTS' VESTED RIGHTS

J. W. Arnold, a government expert making a frost survey in the citrus belt, gravely informed the Kiwanis Club of Redlands that in nine cases out of ten the weather man's prophecies come true.

Of course, everybody laughed. Redlands can appreciate a joke just as well as anybody. But, then, Mr. Arnold did the mean thing. He went ahead and proved his assertion.

Haven't humorists—of the pen, the crayon and the stage—any established rights in this country? Is Uncle Sam going to come along at this late day and take the bread out of the mouths of the comedy duo that never yet has failed to get a hand and a laugh by taking a crack at the weather man? Is the hard-pressed cartoonist, who already has yanked off 99 45-100 per cent of his hair in the struggle for new ideas, to be robbed of the one sure shot in his locker, which he learned at his grandfather's knee was the very platinum of humor, guaranteed never to rust or wear? And, lo! the poor paragrapher—has this ruthless Arnold person no thought of him?

But it isn't only they who will suffer. It is the general public. For it isn't always that the general public knows when to laugh. There are a few things, however, which it has been trained, through generation after generation, are indestructibly numorous and chief among these is the weather man. As soon as it suspects that he is about to be mentioned the general public sets its face for a grin and takes a deep breath for a guffaw.

Is Uncle Sam going to permit one of his experts to come out here and take so much laughter out of the lives of fathers and mothers, old men and maidens, young men and children?

RIPPLING RHYMES

AFTER HOLIDAYS

Christmas found me robed in peace, joy
was shining in my eyes and I filled myself
with geese and I ate six kinds of pies; I
devoured some roasted pigs and a lot of
nuts and figs and some bakeshop thing-
myjigs, all of which was scarcely wise.
After Christmas New Year's Day, and the
table groaned with things which, in all
their brave array, might have tempted
queens and kings; ducks I ate with eager
zeal and a section of an eel and a turkey
stuffed with veal and a pair of ostrich
wings. For a man, though old and sere,
must pretend he's not afraid; when the
holidays are here he must march with the
parade; he must join the joyous crew, he
must chew what others chew, with a cock-
a-doodle-doo and a whoop-la undismayed.
So I sat me down to dine with a gay and
merry lot; they had younger works than
mine and they at and then forgot; I have
suffered ever since and I curse the pies of
mince and the marmalade of quince and
the oysters smoking hot. I am breathing
fire and smoke like a dragon or a joss, and
a murrain I invoke on the pudding and its
sauce; and I heave sepulchral sighs when
I hear you mention pies, and the briny
soaks my eyes and I am a total loss. But
I hope to be restored to my health within
a year and I'll jolt the groaning board when
the Christmas days are here; yea, forget-
ting bygone aches, I'll consume the luscious
cakes, and the things the baker bakes rap-
idly as they appear. WALT MASON.

THE BIG DOINGS

Building and construction work in this country last year called for the expenditure of nearly $5,000,000,000, which is a heavier investment than ever before known. It was the greatest creative program of the time. We have something to show for it—something beautiful and impressive. Five billions of dollars is a vast sum of money. Supposing it had been spent for firecrackers and then touched off with a match! That shows the difference between spending billions for war or for home-building

PEN POINTS

By the Staff

Chicago is to have the tallest church in the world. But religion comes high in that town.

How many mornings this week have you heard the favorite salutation, "Good day for ducks," etc.?

The storms that lashed the Atlantic are over. It was all due to the silk pants of Ambassador Harvey.

The American Live Stock Association, in session in this city, seems inclined to take the bull by the horns.

We don't hear anything about E. Mont. Reilly, Governor-General of Porto Rico, these days. Where is he "at"?

The chief of the Federal narcotic squad is Col. L. G. Nutt. He ought to form a legal partnership with Atty.-Gen. Coco of Louisiana.

So far as we know Coue never used his favorite theory in cases where his automobile engine broke down. That would be the acid test.

How would it do to follow the example set by Greece and hang or shoot the managers of the baseball clubs that fail to land the pennant?

An eclipse of the sun is booked for this latitude in September. And we are assured there will be no postponement on account of the weather.

Improvement is the record of the times, but we notice that there is just the same amount of time between Monday morning and Saturday night on the 1923 calendars as there was on those of 1922.

Pauline Frederick, the screen star, is suing her attorney, a New York lawyer, for a mere bagatelle of almost $50,000 in the local court. His fees must have been in the class of the bootleggers' attorneys.

President Harding admits that he is up a tree, so to speak, on what ought to be done with the European situation. And, quite unlike Woodrow Wilson, he is telling the people of his troubles. It is the Harding way.

Lew Dockstader, the veteran minstrel man, is stricken with paralysis. Dockstader, whose real name is Lewis Clapp, is a Connecticut man and for years was a minstrel star. When blacked up as an end man or stump speaker Dockstader had the habit of always visiting the newspaper offices and getting the latest local news happenings before his performances. And then the customers in the theater wondered where he got it.

THIS IS THE DAY

A treaty was signed between the United States and Spain in the year 1819 by which Spain ceded Florida to the United States for the purchase price of $5,000,000.

The Treaty of Guadaloupe-Hidalgo was signed by the United States and Mexico in the year 1848. By the terms of this treaty Texas, New Mexico, Arizona and California were formally ceded to the United States upon payment of about $15,000,000.

STOP THAT TAX LEAK

BY EWELL D. MOORE

Article III

It is not always easy to distinguish between what is and what is not income. The law says that gross income shall include "income from every source." However, disputes constantly arise between taxpayers and the government on this apparent all-inclusive definition. There is no general rule. The facts in each particular case control.

The United States Supreme Court has defined income, and its definition should be followed by the taxpayers when they doubt their own judgment. It says: "Income may be defined as the gain derived from capital, from labor or from both combined, provided that it be understood to include profits gained through a sale or conversion of capital assets." One may get a special ruling on any particular case by applying to the Internal Revenue Bureau at Washington.

Every individual who has had a gross income of $5000 or over for 1922, regardless of his net income, must file a return. Even in the face of this it is often difficult to decide whether one should really make a report to the government. It depends upon whether taxpayer's "gross receipts" are also his "gross income." There is a distinction. To illustrate:

A merchant or trader, married, has receipts of $10,000 for the year. He would first subtract the cost of the goods sold in the amount of, say, $7000. If he has no other income his statutory gross income would be $3000. Now if his expense of doing business should be $1100 his net income would be $1900 and no return would be required.

On the other hand, a lawyer, doctor, architect or other professional man has gross receipts from fees amounting to $6000 and his business expenses are $4500, leaving a net income of $1500. A return must be made because his gross "income" as well as his gross "receipts" is $6000. These examples apply, of course, to citizens.

THE NET INCOME

Income as used in the law cannot be determined by merely counting cash receipts. It means more than that. It is the "excess of that which is received over that which is parted with."

Suppose a man sells a piece of land for $5000 cash. The cash received is not necessarily income. He has received property of the same value. Or suppose he buys land for $5000; the cash paid out is not an expense. It is an investment.

Net income means the gross income, less all ordinary and necessary expenses paid or incurred in any trade or business. The allowable deductions for expenses are specified in the law and shown upon the return. Taxpayers cannot go wrong in following the instructions printed on the government forms.

LOSSES MAY BE DEDUCTED

A very important matter to be considered, however, is the item of losses. In general all losses actually sustained may be deducted by both individuals and corporations under the present law, whether incurred in business and trade or not. There are certain restrictions, of course, the details of which cannot be fully covered in a series of brief articles such as these are to be.

Net income must be computed for a fixed twelve-months period, which is called the taxable year. All taxpayers, including individuals, may keep their books and report their income either on a calendar or a fiscal-year basis, but, once having adopted a basis, ... change without thirty days' ... ten notice to the Commissioner ... Internal Revenue, stating the ... sons therefor and obtaining ... mission to change. Whenever ... change is authorized the new ... riod must be used by the taxp...

"NET LOSSES"

Congress wrote a "relief" ... vision in the present law, ... permits application of a loss ... one year against income from ... succeeding year, and, if the ... is not then exhausted, to carry ... remainder over against income ... the second year. It is very ... tant that taxpayers take ... tage of this and thereby ... themselves money.

However, such losses, to be ... lowed, must result from the ... ation of a trade or business ... larly carried on, including ... sustained from the sale or ... disposition of real estate and ... or capital assets used in the ... ness. The provision covers ... losses occurring in any ... year beginning after Dec. 31, ... The benefit of this provision ... be allowed members of a ... ship and beneficiaries of an ... or trust, as well as other ... ers.

OTHER LOSSES

Losses not compensated by ... surance or otherwise are ... able, if incurred in the tax... business or in any transaction ... tered into for profit or arising ... fires, storms or other casual... theft. In a sale of assets the ... ductable loss is that between ... cost and the sale price, less ... depreciation sustained and ... able. If the property was ac... before March 1, 1913, and the ... value on that date was less ... the cost the loss is the diff... between such value and the ... price, less depreciation. ... are special provisions relating ... the determination of gain and ... which should be consulted.

A loss from the sale of a ... dence cannot be deducted, ... it is shown that it was bought ... built with a view to its sale ... profit.

Loss on sale of automobile ... primarily for business is ded... able. Forfeit of amount paid ... an option to purchase real ... is likewise deductable. A loss ... sulting from damage to a pleas... car in a collision cannot be ... ducted.

In cases of loss from theft ... necessary to prove that the ... erty was actually stolen in ... to deduct the value of the ... from gross income.

If a taxpayer desires to ... for a loss as of a year other ... the one in which it was ... sustained he may do so, pro... he attaches to his return a ... ment setting forth his request ... consideration by the commis... er, giving all the facts upon ... he relies. The commissioner ... decide whether the case is ... the exception provided by the ... ute. It is a matter entirely ... in his discretion. He may not ... permit nor compel a loss ... tained prior to 1921 to be ... ed for in a previous period.

No individual, other than ... engaged in the business of ... and selling securities, or a ... ration, other than one dealing ... such property, may deduct any ... claimed to have been sus... from the sale or other disposi... of stock or securities made ... Nov. 23, 1921, if within thirty ... before or after the date of ... the taxpayer has acquired like ... property and it is held for any ... riod after such sale or other ... position. This is to prevent "... sales," for the purpose of ... a loss.

DEATH NO CURE

By the Foothill Philosopher

Some persons dread death. Others would welcome it. Perhaps both attitudes are the result of undue publicity given the "Grim Destroyer"—publicity for which, according to latest reports, the "Destroyer" has never paid humanity a single penny. For, just as the fact of sex is neither "good" nor "bad," but natural, so death is neither a monster nor an angel, but, comparatively speaking, merely human.

Death levels all ranks, cancels all debts, it is said. Does it really do so? Does it really make things any "leveler" than they are? Does it actually make a Hottentot the equal of Shakespeare or reduce John Bunyan to the level of his persecutors? And does the mere fact of death settle all accounts, liquidate all debts? How lovely—if this is so!

There is a superstitious idea to the effect that death brings freedom. It is not true. Only the "life more abundant" can liberate the soul.

In the last analysis death itself is only a conception of a living being. Life is insistent and eternal in every atom of the universe. The disintegration of an organized body means only that that special form ceases to function—but it does not mean that its component parts have been rendered inactive, nor that the spirit which organized it has been annihilated, nor does it prove that the organizing power cannot re-collect and revivify the same form at will.

If annihilation were possible, it it were "a fact in nature," no one could prove it, for to do so he would have to prove the existence of nothing—which is unthinkable, for to prove the existence of something that does not exist is equivalent to establishing its existence and, if a thing or "state of being" exists, then it is not nothing, but something.

Can we go further than to say that nothing does not exist? And if nothing is not, then annihilation is a conception of the all-inclusive consciousness and is not a reality, either in or outside of consciousness.

If annihilation were possible no one could be conscious of it, for to assert that it is possible to be conscious of the nonexistent is a proposition that is self-contradictory and requires no argument to prove its fallacy.

Once a person is convinced that life is universal and eternal he will never more will admit the possibility of death, in the sense of the annihilation of "matter" or of consciousness. Such a person will know "matter" and "mind" as identical in nature, manifestations of the great soul in which they live and move and have their being. He will know that the "dead" is forever conscious and immortal, able from the spiritual, and he will know that the spirit is eternally substantial.

Such a perceiver will not fear resurrection, for he will know that He who creates and preserves is also the One who changes and remodels all forms that reflect the Maker. No, such a person will not deny resurrection. Rather will he affirm it, but he will make no special miracle of it—will take no special delight in it, any more than he will pay tribute of fear to the fact of disintegration. For he will be at one with the Master who knew Himself for "the life, the truth and the way." He will recognize himself for the unborn and the undying.

He who perceives life as positively good will see only the good in all of life's manifestations. And he who once realizes the immortable and supreme fact of existence is no longer the slave of time, and is he deeply disturbed by the phenomenal, pictorial drama that is being enacted.

IMMORTAL

Soul, the immortal part of man
Merely inhabits a house of clay
Death is the key that in God's
great plan
Opens the gate of eternal day.

The dawning breaks as when I come to me
Of those dear ones I loved and lost awhile,
I am so grateful I can always see
Their faces with the old familiar smile,
So closely they abide
That I am satisfied
Death brought them only immortality.

This kindergarten life on earth
Teaches the lesson all must learn
Death is only a second birth
And men must harvest the seed they sow.

SAMUEL E. ...

FRIDAY MORNING

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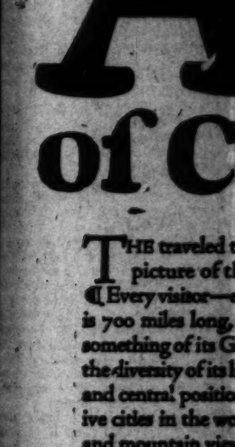

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BUILDERS URGE OFFICIAL SPEED

City Moves Too Slowly on Permits, They Say

Force Held Inadequate for Volume of Business

Condition Made Subject at Contractors' Convention

A resolution presented to the City Council some time ago by the Southern California Chapter of the Associated General Contractors of America was read yesterday to the delegates to the national convention of the Associated General Contractors now in session in Los Angeles.

The resolutions deal with a condition which has existed and still exists in somewhat modified form in this city—the inadequacy of the city building department's forces to handle the great increase in Los Angeles building operations.

The resolution reads:

"Whereas, for many months there has been an increasing amount of building activity in the city of Los Angeles, with which the present forces of the city building department could not adequately cope, and,

MONTH'S DELAY

"Whereas, the leading industry of this city, i.e., the building industry, is now seriously handicapped with a month's delay in having building plans approved by the department, and,

"Whereas, it has come to the attention of the Southern California Chapter, Associated General Contractors of America, that the Los Angeles City Council has taken cognizance of this wasteful situation, and,

"Whereas, the chief building inspector was authorized by the Honorable Council of this city to augment his forces in a small degree, together with a moderate increase in salaries for some of his assistants, and,

"Whereas, there is a crying need for more substantial increase in both personnel and compensation in this department to bring the efficiency equal to the demands upon it, therefore, be it

"Resolved, by the Southern California Chapter, Associated General Contractors of America, that this acknowledgment be extended to the Honorable Council of the city of Los Angeles for the above action looking to the improvement of conditions in the building department, and, be it further

"Resolved, that this chapter recommends to the City Council that still further steps be taken to render this important department efficient and satisfactory in its operation by expending the revenue derived from building permits only within the building department until the above described handicap to building operations in Los Angeles be removed.

"Southern California Chapter, Associated General Contractors of America.

"J. C. EDWARDS, President."

The convention delegates were divided yesterday into three divisions, the building division, the highway division, and the public works and railroads division. Each group met in individual quarters and discussed questions which pertained to its department in particular.

The split caused considerable confusion, and as a result several speakers failed to find the group which they were scheduled to address.

FOUR WANT JURY TRIALS

Clogging of Courts With Liquor Cases Likely, Belief of Officials Who See Trouble Ahead

Jury trials are becoming the fashion for Wright Act cases, it developed yesterday when Constable Thomas was notified to get four times twelve good men and true to hear the evidence in four such trials in the local Justice Courts. Heretofore only one defendant, John De Bortola, accused of violating the Wright Act, demanded a jury trial. He was acquitted.

It was stated that because of the large number of such cases, if the defendants all demanded jury trials, the local justice courts would be crowded to capacity.

Two jury trials set for tomorrow are those of M. M. and M. A. Terry, who were arrested by Detective Contreras and a squad from the District Attorney's office on charges of manufacturing liquor, having it in their possession and transporting it.

OTHER TRIALS SET

Two other trials are set for the same day. The Terrys have furnished bail of $1500 each. The Terrys have furnished bail of trials will be held in Justice Follett's court.

Mrs. Charlie Eddy, arrested at Belvedere for selling liquor, was released on $1000 bail for appearance before Justice Baird tomorrow. Duke Miller, arrested on a charge of having five fifty-gallon barrels of mash and 300 gallons of whisky, is to appear before Justice Baird tomorrow.

Nearly every piece of plumbing in the modern house may be used in making illicit liquor, according to the detectives who arrested W. C. Maas of San Gabriel. They assert that Maas used his bathtub as a cooler. Maas is accused of manufacturing liquor. Th eofficers said they found a 100-gallon still, fifteen gallons of liquor and some mash in the house. Maas is to appear tomorrow before Justice Follette.

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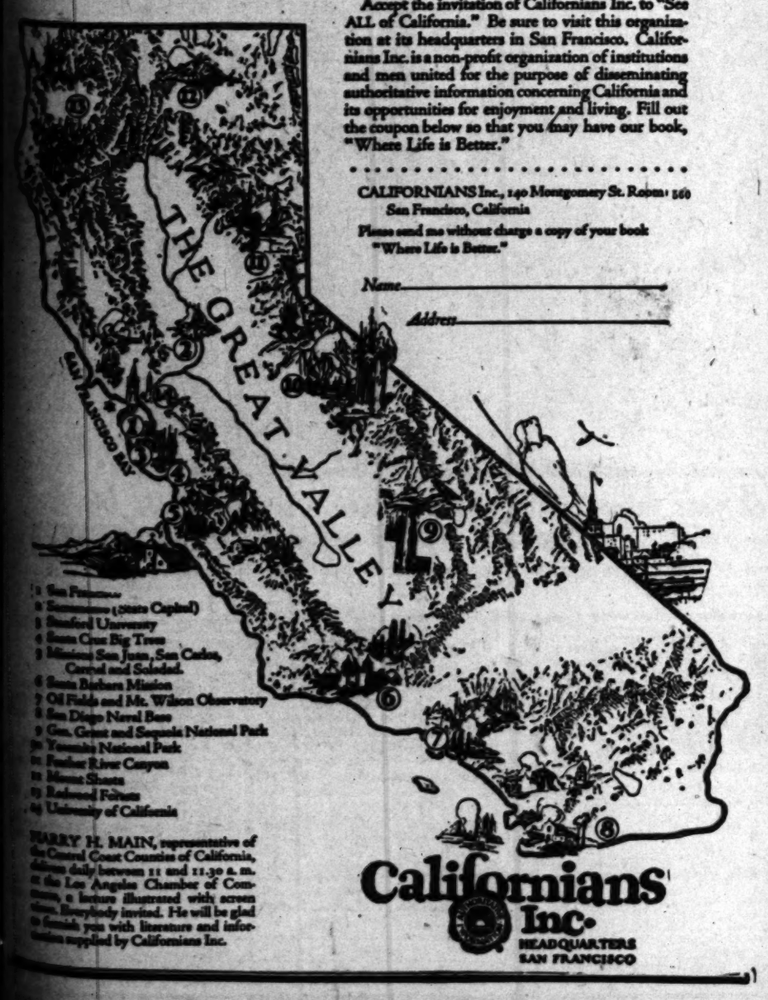

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LOVE BLIND, 'TIS PROVED, SAYS JUDGE

Financial Value of Man's Affections Are Set at Nil by Jurist

The financial value of George A. Shafer's love is nil and its intrinsic value is even less, if possible, Judge Valentine of the Superior Court declared yesterday in dismissing the $50,000 lost love suit brought by Mrs. Matie B. Shafer against Nora Dawson.

The court bitterly assailed Shafer, who had testified against his wife during the trial of the suit, declaring that he could not see how any women could value his love.

"Never before have I seen a better exemplification of the truth of Shakespeare's saying that love speaks with the heart and not with the mind; therefore is winged Cupid painted blind," Judge Valentine said.

"It is difficult to understand how any woman of sane mind could bestow her affections upon a character such as Mr. Shafer painted himself to be. Devoid of feeling, much less of affection for his former wife, he was willing to and did listen to the promises of the plaintiff that if he would divorce his former wife and marry the plaintiff she would pay his expenses to California or some other place.

"Instead of him getting the divorce, he was forced to admit that his former wife got the decree from him on the ground of extreme cruelty which is not a matter of surprise to me viewing his appearance and demeanor on the stand and listening to his testimony, full of contradictions and showing an entire lack of a sense of truth, respect or affection and kindly human feeling.

"Not only one but two women, it appears, have made this despicable character the object of their affections."

Shafer had revealed in his testimony that his present wife had promised to pay his fare to California and also the allmony if he would divorce his first wife. He also stated that his love for his second wife had cooled several months before he met Nora Dawson.

DIVORCE GRANTED

Wife Testifies Husband Left After Expressing Hate

One morning Albert E. Witt strode to the door of his home, turned to his wife and said: "I hate you! I despise you!" He did not return.

This was the testimony of Henrietta G. Witt yesterday in her divorce action before Judge Hardy in the Superior Court.

Judge Hardy granted her a decree and $175 a month allmony.

Witt was formerly auditor for the Union Tool Company of Torrance. He now lives in Toledo, O.

Attorney A. J. Getz represented Mrs. Witt.

CLASS IN PAINTING

A free class in practical painting will be started at the Central Evening High School Monday. This class will have as its aim the training of practical painters. Tinting, staining, enameling, painting, stenciling and varnishing are included. The equipmet will be furnished without cost.

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People and Their Troubles

Elizabeth Jordan's Column:

PUNISHING CHILDREN

Here's another letter from an anxious parent. I am flattered by her confidence, but having no children of my own, all I can do for her is to give her the result of my observations of the methods of my married friends with their youngsters. Most of these friends are up-to-date and intelligent, and many of them have made a special study of the problem which troubles my correspondent.

Dear Miss Jordan: In a recent article of yours you advise a certain mother not to whip her boy. You say, "Wise parents don't do that sort of thing nowadays."

I rise to ask a question. What do wise parents do when their children are disobedient and wilful? Talk to them? Moral suasion has no effect on my boy. A MOTHER.

No, my friends do not depend upon moral suasion. They do talk to their children, but they realize how fleeting is the impression of mere words upon young minds. They point out to disobedient or wilful children how wrong their conduct is, and why it is wrong. Then they emphasize the lesson by some form of punishment which fixes it in the memory.

MODERN PUNISHMENT

The best punishment, from the standpoint of results, is to deprive the child of a pleasure he has looked forward to. Keep him away from some picnic or some fishing trip or some excursion to the swimming hole with his pals, or some pleasure of that kind, and probably he will decide that it is not worth while to be disobedient if one has to pay such a price for it.

Of course this is not the highest lesson you wish him to learn, but it is better than no lesson at all. As he grows older, presumably he will see the moral aspects of the situation. In his extreme youth, before he is able to grasp these, your task is to find some way of fixing in his mind the knowledge that certain things must not be done, and that unpleasant penalties will follow them if they are done.

No child should be whipped. No child should be sent to bed hungry as a punishment for wrongdoing. But any child may be legitimately deprived of a pleasure he has forfeited and the experience will make a strong impression on his little mind.

NO BRIBES NOWADAYS

Bribing children to do things they should do naturally and willingly is another parental habit that has gone out. So has the habit of fault-finding and threatening. The wise mother ignores the childish imperfections which are unimportant and concentrates on those worth while. She does not "nag" nor does she threaten. She merely remarks quietly that the penalty of wrongdoing will be so and so. If the child does wrong she immediately exacts the penalty.

We are all familiar with the old-time method: "Now Johnny don't do that. If you do I'll send you right to bed. Johnny, why did you do that? Didn't I tell you not to. If you disobey me again, I will surely send you to bed. Johnny! Why are you so naughty? Didn't I tell you not to do that? Do you want to be sent to bed? Oh, you don't! Well, let me see any more of such conduct and you will be." And so on and so on.

Nowadays, the mother who talks like that and acts like that shows herself many years behind her time.

All over the land small boys are hearing the clear determined voices of wiser mothers:

"John Anderson, you go right upstairs to bed!"

And John Anderson goes.

Questions Answered

[Any reader can get the answer to any question by writing the Los Angeles Times Information Bureau, Frederic J. Haskins, Director, Washington, D. C. This offer applies strictly to information. The bureau cannot give advice on legal, medical and financial matters. It does not attempt to settle domestic troubles, nor to undertake exhaustive research on any subject. Write your question plainly and briefly. Give full name and address and inclose 2 cents in stamps for return postage. All replies are sent direct to the inquirer.]

Question: Is the evolution of the human race still in progress, or is the man of today a finished product? G. A. C.

Answer: Scientists say that the evolutionary process is still going on, and that while it is not likely that man's body will admit of great change, there is room for some improvement such as in the superfluous length of the food canal and the overcrowding of the teeth. It is likely, however, that there will be constitutional changes, e.g., of prolonged youthfulness, a higher standard of healthfulness and a greater resistance to disease.

Q.: What is meant by second-growth timber? S. T.

A.: The Forest Service says that the timber that comes up after a forest has been cut away is called second growth.

Q.: Is the candle made in honor of Caruso's memory to burn continuously or not? A. H. S.

A.: The candle which is to burn in memory of Enrico Caruso is lighted once a year and burns for twenty-four hours.

Q.: What is a creeple or cutty stool?

A.: It was a stool once used in the Scottish Church for punishment of offenders against chastity. The sinner was required to sit in full view of the congregation, and at the close of service, rise for reprimand by the minister. G. T.

Q.: What are the names of the Chinese scale? W. W.

A.: Chinese scales in music were called pentatonic or five-toned scales. Each tone was named thus: Emperor, Prime Minister, subject people, state affairs and picture of the universe.

Q.: When were seats first provided in churches? S. M. C.

A.: Up until the early part of the fourteenth century worshipers in churches were accustomed to stand or sit on the floor. Then three-legged stools and from 1450 onward mention is found in church records of pews or "pues."

Q.: What is the maximum range of an Army Springfield rifle? K. J. J.

A.: The National Rifle Association says that the maximum range of the Army Springfield rifle is 4891.6 yards.

LETTERS TO "THE TIMES"

Doubts the Figures

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 20.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Some time ago my attention was called to an article in The Times. The said article being an account of a speech delivered by Alvin Owsley, national commander of the American Legion. He made the statement that 80 per cent of the crimes in America were committed by unnaturalized aliens. It is beyond my comprehension how he can put such a high percentage of crime against the aliens. There are only 13,000,000 aliens out of a population of almost 110,000,000. There are only two ways in which I can think of him making such a statement. He either does not know the subject of which he talks or he is trying to misrepresent the facts as they are. Some folks will read his speech and say it was alright without analyzing the truth of his statements. It is my desire to see fair play for everyone, therefore I do not like to read so much of this false propaganda. In closing, I would like to know of any alien in connection with any big crimes in Los Angeles since the big crime wave started after the war. JAMES C. BROWN.

Talks to Boys

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 21.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Call him father and lead a healthful life. Boys, when you speak of our father don't call him "the old man." Of course, you are older now than when you learned to call him father. You are much smarter than you were then; you are much more manly looking. Your clothes fit better; your hat has a more modern shape and your hair is combed differently. In short, you are "finer" than you were then. Your father has a last year's coat and a two-year-old hat and a vest of still older pattern. He can't write such an elegant note as you can and all that, but don't call him "the old man." Call him father. For years he has been hustling around to get things together; he has been held to the thorny path of uphill industry for years, and the brightest half of his life has gone from him forever. But he loves you, though he goes along without saying much about it, and if he knew you were bad it would be the heaviest burden he has to bear. Lead a moderate, healthful life. Take plenty of sleep. Take plenty to eat. Take plenty of exercise. We need more walking philosophers in this world. Keep a contented mind. Remember the man who wants little is always rich. And the man who has much isn't always. Sometimes a man owns a house, but sometimes the house owns the man. It is better for the man to own the house and to bear in mind that a very big man can live in a very little house. I need not say that little men can live in big houses. This life can only give a man at best one thing—contentment. JOE TOWNSEND.

It May be Jealousy

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 20.—[To the Editor of The Times:] I am attracted by a letter in Monday's Times headed, "Too Much Movie," and signed W. G. H. Dudley. The writer seems so well informed as to newspaper work and publicity effort that one is persuaded that the letter is the instructed work of a reporter, at the mandate of some superior, who has been repeatedly and severely scooped by The Times' many and consecutive big pieces of news, or some peeved and disappointed movie picture publicity man, who has been called to the boards for inefficiency and needed foresight.

As a veteran newspaper man, who has within a few months come to Los Angeles, and who has become an enthusiast in view of the really miraculous advancement and progress of your great city, let me say that I was on the point of writing you, complimenting you on the distinctively exceptional special news, covering motion-picture business. You have not only beaten all other local newspapers, but have scooped the whole country with the biggest break in connection with the motion-picture industry, and to the astonishment of newspapers in New York, the center of motion-picture interests. My exchanges disclose that all the big cities have played up belated articles of The Times as front page news. The Times' exclusive stories have served as a series of bombs on the tardy and seemingly safe and secure financiers of other cities, particularly New York. The mail and the telegraph brings to me, professionally, clear evidence that financial and business interests in New York have been awakened to the realization that Los Angeles has severely and dangerously loosened the tenacious grasp of an overconfident Wall street trust.

It recalls a lesson that Henry Ford administered to the same interests.

From my personal observations and scrutinies I am encouraged to the belief that the moving-picture business has contributed more to the almost unbelievable enrichment of Los Angeles, a wondrous city, and which has filled the vaults of your banks an dthe coffers of your merchants, to the extent of millions and millions of dollars, and the outlook is that it will run into the billions, with the new plans as given by The Times.

The assertion that the very valuable news about the coming of several representative moving-picture companies to Los Angeles to make this the point of uistribution as well as producing center, is slush and not real news, savors of nausea instead of wholesome support of a vicious and grossly inaccurate letter. B. H. BENTON.

Wrong Way to Right Wrong

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 1.—[To the Editor of The Times:] One of the distinguishing characteristics of the ostrich is that he foolishly takes refuge from his pursuers by tucking his head under the desert sand and cajoles himself into thinking there is no danger.

Like the ostrich we enact laws, both subjective and adjective, prohibiting the use of alcohol and foolishly think we have abolished the evil of drinking.

Whether we be for or against the use of liquor, all persons of sound reason must concede that our method is wrong in this, just the same as it has been in other cases where we have sought to eradicate harmful elements and influences. For instance the dissolution of the oil and tobacco trusts, and the pulsitive abatement of the tenderloin. That is to say we have driven them into seclusion and scattered them beyond control. Now, even members of the United States Supreme Court bench openly declare we have enacted a rule of conduct, a law which is unenforcible, and further, that disrespect for this law is causing disregard for all law. That is not surprising, since it has long been recognized that we can not legislate people's morals.

In sharp contrast with the above method we constituted the Interstate Commerce Commission governing such public utilities as interstate railroads. Note the method. The roads were left in the hands of private owners under rigid governmental supervision. No one can question the fact that the evils, rebating, and other forms of tyranny, which were the immediate cause for appointing the commission, have been nearly if not wholly corrected.

Why not put the liquor traffic into private hands and under government control, making the manufacturers and dealers pay for their own regulation and pay into the United States Treasury the $2,000,000,000 tax as of old, thus saving in the disgraceful failure to control the traffic, expelling the "bootleggers," correct the evils, and letting those who must drink "booze" pay for their folly the money we now call "the income tax?" G. A. MORRERY.

Information Valuable

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 22.—[To the Editor of The Times:] In Sunday's Times I was surprised to see on the Literary page an article entitled "Old Volume is Political Mine." "A book worth more than its weight in gold," etc., in reference to the "Political Text-Book of 1860," by Horace Greely and John F. Cleveland.

Now I happen to be the owner of one of those books in a good state of preservation, so I naturally "sat up and took notice." It is true I have never seen another copy of the book, but had not dreamed it was so rare or valuable. However, that is not the first information of value that I have received through The Times, for all of which I am duly appreciative. OLIVER B. STEEN.

False Economy

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 21.—[To the Editor of The Times:] In voting the minimum wage bill from $10 to $16 a week the Arizona Legislature thought it a wise act to be liberal with the purse of the employer so as to be in favor with politics of the women.

Now, what difference does it make between a tax on sales and the imposition of the minimum wage?

The high cost of living will never be helped by it, as it will hit those businesses that employ considerable help, the laundries, the 5 and 10-cent stores, as well as department stores and others.

Not the employer, but the purchasing public will feel the pinch.

In this case "self-preservation is the first natural law," a thing the Legislature never learned. B. G. SMITH.

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5. There are no entrance fees. The only requirement is that ONE new or renewal paid-in-advance subscription to The Los Angeles Daily and Sunday Times for 3 months or 12 months, must accompany the set of titles submitted. A subscription may be secured anywhere. It may be that of the participant of any other person. All subscriptions are subject to verification.

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9. It is essential that titles be spelled as to spelling, and The Times Dictionary will be considered as final authority. The "Book of Plays," published by The Los Angeles Times, is on file at The Times main and branch offices, or may be consulted at most public libraries within The Times territory. A copy will be mailed to anyone, postpaid, upon receipt of 10 cents, coin or stamps.

10. Copies of title pictures and title coupons that have been published previously in THE TIMES may be secured free of charge by indicating the picture and coupon numbers desired. Thus participants are not limited as to any time during the Revue.

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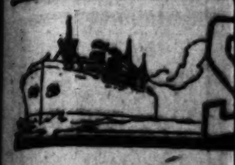

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ARRIVALS AND CLEARANCES AT WORLD'S PORTS

BY A. P. SHORT WIRE

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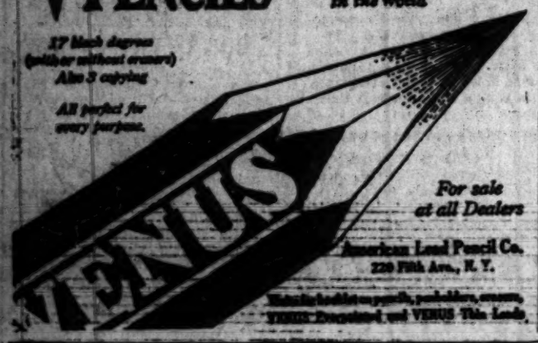

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Move of Strategy Ordered by Council

Effort is to Place Roads in New Position

Grade-Crossing Fight Also is Included

The City Council yesterday instructed City Attorney Stephens to make application before the Interstate Commerce Commission for the Los Angeles union terminal at the Plaza and for the elimination of grade crossings identical to the program of the State Railroad Commission that was blocked by adverse decision of the State Supreme Court.

Mr. Stephens, who appeared before the Council, said he sought to make such a move as a matter of tactics, since, if granted by the Interstate Commerce Commission, it would put the railroads in their opposition to the union terminal between two fires and have them "going and coming."

Councilmen Mallard and Allen held that, since the State Supreme Court only held that the Railroad Commission had exceeded its jurisdiction in ordering the terminal, and not the grade crossings, it would be better to divorce the two issues, but both acquiesced and voted to authorize Mr. Stephens to go ahead with the point program as he proposed.

The City Attorney said that if the two things were separated now the tactical advantage of having the Interstate Commerce Commission make an order identical with the State Railway Commission would be lost, and that this would be a quicker way of getting at the matter than by appeal of the original case. He said that assurance had been given that the Interstate Commerce Commission would deal promptly with the matter and he expected a decision perhaps within ninety days. He said the matters could be divorced later if it seemed best, and gave assurance that he would always seek advice from the Council on matters of policy.

"MOONSHINE" SUSPECTS HELD

A. S. and R. S. Baxter and E. A. Vore are in the County Jail on a charge of conspiracy to violate the prohibition law. Local prohibition enforcement officers found a still of fifty-gallon capacity at 1821 West Twenty-second street, and two of the same size at 2628 Brighton street. It is said they were managed by the defendants. A quantity of gin was found at both places, the officers declare.

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STAKE BRINGS FINE HOME

Son Makes Strike in Oil and Court Gives Parents Property Claimed by John S. Sankey's Executor

A $500 stake, given their son before he made his strike in the Texas oil fields and became wealthy, grew yesterday into a luxurious home for J. F. Sankey and his wife, Mary I. Sankey, by a decision of Judge Elliott Craig in Superior Court.

Judge Craig awarded the couple, who are getting on in years, property at 960 Third avenue, which had been claimed as part of the estate of John S. Sankey by F. P. Lieuallen, the latter's executor. John S. Sankey died at Fort Worth, Tex., in November, 1921, supposedly a millionaire, but Federal income and inheritance taxes threatened to eat up most of his estate.

MENTIONED IN WILL

Because he had mentioned the property at 960 Third avenue in his will, leaving it to his father and mother, the executor sought to take possession of it, despite the fact that the elder Sankeys had a deed to the property signed by their son. The suit resulted.

Sankey testified that the son, after various unsuccessful ventures in oil, in which he had lost heavily, applied to his parents for aid. "We gave him $500, all we could scrape together," said the father, "and he went back to Texas and finally made a lot of money; they said it was about $1,500,000. He told us he would see we were taken care of the rest of our lives and he bought this home and gave it to us.

EXECUTOR STEPS IN

"Then the executor came along after John died and said there was about $800,000 of Federal taxes to pay."

The excutor said the deed given the parents was void for want of consideration, but the father's story convinced Judge Craig to the contrary.

Sankey, the son, purchased from Eva Tanguay her Hollywood home and lived there with his wife. He died suddenly.

Burial Service Conducted for James Rogers

Funeral services for James A. Rogers, 51 years of age, who died Monday morning at his home, 802 South Normandie avenue, were conducted Wednesday at 2 p.m., in the First Baptist Church. Dr. J. A. Francis, pastor, officiated.

Mr. Rogers had been prominent in this city as a contractor and builder for more than twelve years. He was born in 1872 in Grand Chenier, La., and spent most of his boyhood in New Orleans. In 1901 he was married to Miss Hettie Millard of Kentucky and went to Mexico as a mining contractor.

After his return to this country he lived in Washington, D. C., for three years. Moving to Los Angeles in 1910, he rapidly attained prominence as a contractor and builder. He was also interested in farm lands in Southern California.

Mr. Rogers was prominent in Masonic circles, being a Knight-Templar, a member of the Scottish Rite and a Shriner.

He leaves a widow and one son, Miller Rogers, 15 years of age. Burial was at Forest Lawn Cemetery. Pallbearers were: Dr. J. Walter Gray, N. Kos, Perry Bacon, Elmer Salmon, W. H. Fine, John Austin, John Kleinteter and Col. Bardeman.

TITLE CONTEST BOON TO STAGE

Legitimate Plays Growing Popular With Revue

"Times" Event is Exceeding All Expectations

All Southland Clamoring to Win Cash Prizes

Picking titles in the Play-Goers Revue, now running in The Times is becoming such a popular pastime that if Will Shakespeare were here to look things over he would be likely to proclaim that he knew what he was talking about when he said: "The play's the thing."

The ranks of those who would share in the $8500 prize list by the simple process of choosing titles for the daily pictures now appearing in The Times are increasing far beyond all early calculations. It's a good thing the Play-Goers Revue doesn't require an actual theater for presentation; they would have to scrape off the wall paper to get the people in!

Interest in plays of the legitimate theater is receiving a tremendous impetus as a result of the Revue now in progress. While no doubt the majority of participants are actuated to a considerable degree by the mercenary impulse of carrying off one of the seventy big cash prizes, there is behind it, too, a strong fascination for things theatrical. The educational value of the drama is recognized by all; the entertainment derived from it affords to most of us the proper balance that makes life worth while.

OLD PLAYS REVIVED

In the Play-Goers Revue many of the well-known plays for a generation or more back are in effect revived. The calling to mind of play titles and fitting them to daily pictures printed in The Times is providing people of the Southland the greatest diversion ever offered by any newspaper.

The pictures are not scenes taken from plays, nor do they have reference to plots. Only the cities are meant, and the object of participants in the Revue should be to submit the highest number of best titles.

For this reason it is obvious that three titles should be selected for each picture. Participants should safeguard their interests by doing so. Moving picture titles are not possible—only titles of plays that have appeared on the legitimate stage. Of course, quite a number of plays have been produced in moving pictures bearing the same titles, but the revue concerns only the legitimate or speaking stage.

For the convenience of participants The Times has published the "Book of Plays," containing almost 1500 titles. These are arranged alphabetically and by referring to this list it becomes an easy matter to select three titles for each picture, and arrange them on the title coupons in the order of the participant's choice.

The "Book of Plays" is in such demand that a second edition has been made necessary. It is on sale at 10 cents a copy at The Times main office and branch office, 611 South Spring street. A copy will be mailed anywhere postpaid upon receipt of 10 cents in coin or stamps.

MUST PAY IN ADVANCE

The only requirement in competing for one of the seventy cash prizes offered in the revue is to send in either a three months' or twelve months' subscription to the Los Angeles Daily and Sunday Times. It may be either a new or renewal subscription, and must be paid in advance. It should be borne in mind that all subscriptions are to be sent direct to the revue department. In no case should payment be made to the Times' agents or to carriers, as the subscription must accompany the title answers submitted at the close of the revue. If sent before the close an auxiliary receipt is issued by the revue department to return with the title answers, showing that the subscription already has been paid.

Anyone wishing to participate in the Playgoers Revue and try for a cash prize may start picking titles any day. If any of the previous pictures were missed, duplicates may be obtained free of charge by communicating with the Revue department of The Times. Full details of this fascinating entertainment, together with today's new picture, appear in an advertisement elsewhere in this issue.

Turn to it now and join the crowd of title pickers.

Taking of Vows May Free Nurse in Escape Case

Roselle S. Smith, nurse, accused of aiding the escape of Betty Arnold, asserted drug addict, from the County Hospital, may avoid prosecution by entering a convent, Dep. Dis.-Atty. McDaniels said yesterday when her case was called for pleading in Superior Court before Judge McCormick. If she carried out this expressed intention, the deputy said, the case would be dropped. Judge McCormick continued it until the 8th inst.

WIFE FEARS SPOUSE

Charges in Maintenance Suit He Threatened to "Brain" Her

When Harry Clarke voiced the opinion that it would be a good thing if his wife were to "fall and break her damn neck," he but came to the climax of a long series of abusive remarks, Mrs. Maud Shalor Clarke declared yesterday in a separate maintenance action filed in Superior Court.

"Every time I come near you I feel like choking you," Clarke said once, and another time declared he didn't mind taking her mother and father out riding, but did object to taking her, Mrs. Clarke averred. He threatened also to "brain" her, objected to her going to church, saying it was only hypocrisy on her part, and once actually attacked her, being prevented from choking her by her mother's loud cries for help, according to the complaint.

Mrs. Clarke declared her husband makes $300 a month and has property in Vancouver, B. C., and in this city. Her attorneys are McComb & Hall.

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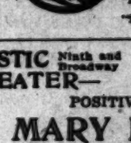

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FLASHES

LUCKY YOUTHS

STAR HAS TWO PROTEGES STUDYING TO ACT

By Grace Kingsley

There are two lucky boys in the picture world, or at least on the fringe of it. They are Roy Yost and Harry Hill. Both are proteges of Charles Ray. Both are later to have their chance in pictures.

At present Yost is a sort of glorified office boy at the Ray studios in Hollywood. He came one day to apply for work as an actor, waylaying Ray in the alley back of the studio as the star got out of his car.

"But you've got to go through the mill, the same as the rest of us!" explained Charles Ray.

"Why, I have," answered the boy naively, "I've been trying to get into pictures for six weeks!"

"Well, will you work first as a boy around the lot, doing errands, playing extras, etc.?" asked the star.

"Sure," said the boy, "that is, if you'll let me dress up like an actor."

So every day Roy dolls up in make-up and a Miles Standish period suit of clothes, and he is proving so bright that he is going to be promoted to playing extras and bits pretty soon.

The other boy is Harry Hill. He came one day to Ray's house in Beverly Hills—had been tramping all day, he explained.

"I don't see all your pictures, Mr. Ray," he explained to the star. "That made a hit with me," commented Ray in telling about it.

"I saw you in 'The Tailor-Made Man,' though," the boy went on, "and I said to myself, 'Well, if that young fellow could get ahead on his nerve, maybe I can too!'"

"What could I do after that?" said Ray with his boyish smile. "But I'm not putting him ahead too fast. I'm having him work around my garden at home, and help us out a bit there. Don't want him to go ahead too fast for fear it will turn his head. But he has done a lot in amateur theatricals, and later on, I'm going to give him his chance."

Wait for Barbara LaMarr

Some people are popular, but it remains for Barbara La Marr to achieve the ultimate, professionally anyway, in popularity. Miss La Marr has been chosen to play the leading feminine role in the screen version of "Captain Applejack," and she actually has them waiting for her.

"Captain Applejack" is to be a Louis Mayer production, with Fred Niblo directing. Both Mr. Mayer and Mr. Niblo decided that Miss La Marr was admirably suited to the leading part, that of a Russian dancer, but Miss LaMarr is working at Goldwyn Studios in the Rupert Hughes feature "Souls for Sale," which will not be completed for some few weeks. Niblo was scheduled to start working on "Captain Applejack" at once. But to sure were Messrs. Mayer and Niblo that nobody else could play the role that they decided to hold up the production until Miss La Marr has finished in the Hughes picture.

Mary Nash is now appearing in the stage version of the play, and it is to Miss Nash's role that Miss La Marr is assigned in the picture.

Duncans Come Home

Having signed up with Universal, William Duncan and Edith Johnson returned yesterday from New York. The contract begins March 1. It is possible that Vitagraph may exercise its right to the services of the Duncans during the present month, in which event they will make one more feature for that firm.

Rosemary Theby Signs

Rosemary Theby was signed yesterday to play the vampire role in Edwin Carewe's production of "The Girl of the Golden West." Miss Theby will have one of the four leading parts, her role being that of Nina Micheltorina.

Doubles for Extras

Bull Montana has such a reputation for strength, that the other day, following a big bullfight scene in which he worsted some dozen extras or so, the employment bureau was surprised by receiving a call from Hunt Stromberg, Bull's producer, asking for "forty extras and an extra double for every extra!"

Ten Stars in Row

No less than ten comedians, each of whom has previously been starred in his or her own productions, have been engaged for the all-star cast of Halperin Productions latest breezy comedy-drama, "Tea With a Kick," which Erle Kenton is directing. The funsters are Doris May, Victor Potel, Zasu Pitts, Harry Mann, Gale Henry, Billy Franey, Earl Montgomery, Chester Conklin, Hank Mann and Dot Farley.

Farmer-Actor

Roy Laidlaw, retired Goldwyn character actor, has given up his life on his Kansas farm to play one more role for the screen. He arrived here this week after Director Wallace Worsley had combed the country for him. The farmer-actor is playing the role of Maitra Charmolie in "The Hunchback of Notre Dame," which Worsley is directing for Universal with Lon Chaney as star.

"I had positively given up pictures," declared Laidlaw. "The only connection I retained in the past two years of my retirement has been when I paid my little 30 cents to see our neighborhood show, amateurs, country store and everything."

As soon as he finishes his role in this picture, Laidlaw will return to his farm with Mrs. Laidlaw and their baby daughter.

Concerning Seena Owen

Seena Owen is reported to be one of the stars who will sign with Samuel Goldwyn to appear in one or the other of his proposed new producing units. Miss Owen has just finished a picture called "The Go-Getter," the last on a contract.

FROM BALTIMORE

Mahlon Hamilton, prominently cast in Goldwyn's version of Sir Hall Caine's novel, "The Christian," which is now playing at the California theater, hails from Baltimore. He had an extensive stage career to his credit before going into films. He has acted leading roles for most of the big producers. One of his biggest hits was in a previous Goldwyn picture "Earthbound."

PLAYDOM

CONTRACT ENDED

RUTH ROLAND MAY DECIDE ON FEATURES

By Edwin Schallert

Her contract for serials with Pathe having been completed, there is a possibility that Ruth Roland may now transfer her interest to features. It is generally reported that she has been strongly considering this change. Miss Roland states, herself, however, that as yet she has no definite plans for the future.

"Since the completion of my contract I have been sick in bed with a cold," she stated last night, "and I have had no chance to go ahead with any of my plans. I have not made up my mind as yet regarding my future picture work."

Miss Roland's contract with Pathe was completed last Saturday. She has been making serials for them for several years. She has an independent fortune, accumulated through her successful dealings in real estate and finance, so her film future is not a matter of dollars and cents with her.

It is probable that she will not decide on her film future for several weeks, although the impression now exists that the balance will be in favor of features rather than serials.

Laurel With Roach

Stan Laurel, who appeared in the comedy "Mud and Sand" for Metro, has been signed by the Hal E. Roach organization, and will start his career with them making one-reel comedies. Laurel was formerly a member of the same vaudeville company that brought Charlie Chaplin to this country. He has heretofore been appearing on the screen in Metro releases.

Formerly in Films

Allen Connor, who is playing the juvenile lead in "Now and Then," the Kolb and Dill production, was formerly a film player at the Famous Players-Lasky Studio. He paid a visit to the studio this week, and shook hands with many of his former friends, including Theodore Roberts and Gloria Swanson, among others. He has been attracting a great deal of favor in his musical comedy work.

Kathleen Key Mix Lead

Playing leading lady in a new Tom Mix picture is the current occupation of Kathleen Key, who made a pleasing impression in "Where is My Wandering Boy Tonight?" when it showed some time ago at the Symphony theater. Jack Ford is directing the production.

Chaplin Hastens Film

Charlie Chaplin has started cutting the Edna Purviance starring picture, temporarily titled "Destiny." Actual shooting has not yet been finished, but Chaplin is speeding the work on the picture—Probably in anticipation of the culmination of his present romance.

Martindel Ill

Edward Martindel, character actor, is suffering from an attack of 'Kleig eyes." It came on him while he was enacting a role in "The Eleventh Hour," starring Shirley Mason. He has been absent from the studio, and Director Barnard Durining has changed the shooting time in order to prevent too great a loss of time.

Between Engagements

An announcement is promised in a few days as to the future fate of Kathryn MacGuire, who has just finished her contract with the Sennett Studios. Miss MacGuire appeared in a number of comedies and in the feature, "The Crossroads of New York," for the Sennett organization, and has lately been lent out to several feature organizations She appeared in "The Lass o' Lowries," starring Priscilla Dean, and in "The Woman in Bronze," with Clara Kimball Young, among other pictures.

Kathleen Gets Oil Money

Kathleen Clifford is on the way to becoming an oil magnate. The second producing well on her property at Signal Hill is reported to have recently begun flowing.

Incidentally Miss Clifford has been signed for a Christie comedy, doing the "boy" role, which made her popular in vaudeville.

News From East

Miriam Battista will appear in the child role in "A Fool There Was" on the stage.

Hedda Hopper, stage and screen player, has gone abroad for six weeks' vacation, before commencing a new film contract.

Party for Mae Busch

Frank Mayo and Dagmar Godowsky (Mrs. Mayo) gave a supper and box party with Mae Busch as guest of honor on the occasion of the opening of "The Christian" Sunday night. Miss Busch plays the part of Glory Quayle in the feature, which is showing at the California theater.

POSTPONE OPENING OF GRIFFITH FILM

D. W. Griffith may after all not be able to attend the Los Angeles premiere of his new ten-reel production "One Exciting Night" at the Mission Theater, because the premiere has now been postponed another week on account of the success of Mabel Normand's "Suzanna," which is entering its seventh week here.

Griffith intended to remain over in Los Angeles for the opening. However as the producer is expected to come through here sometime next week it will be impossible for him to wait long enough for the showing of "One Exciting Night" as no one knows just exactly when it will be staged.

DANCE CONTEST TONIGHT

The fastest one-step dancers in Southern California have assembled for the whirlwind dancing contest at the Cinderella Roof tonight, and from reports some smart "made-in-Los Angeles" dancing will be introduced, namely "The Hottentot Canter" and "Henderson Whirl." This is all preliminary to the big "Hottentot Handicap" race which is scheduled for next Tuesday night, in compliment to Douglas MacLean's screen version of Willie Collier's stage success now at the Kinema Theater.

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To the Motion Picture Profession:
Every new effect in Cecil B. DeMille's "Adam's Rib," particularly the delicate handling of the cave-man and woman scenes, has been fully copyrighted. Producers and Directors are welcomed to Sunday's international premiere at Grauman's Rialto. It is only fair to say that any infringements of the above copyrights will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.
Every star of the "Adam's Rib" cast, including Milton Sills, Elliott Dexter, Theodore Kosloff, Anna Q. Nilsson and Pauline Garon, will be present at the Rialto Theater Sunday evening.

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For House Guest

Mrs. Cordenio Severance, 698 Monterey Road, who has been living very quietly since her return to Los Angeles, is giving a luncheon today for Mrs. Franklin K. Lane, who is her house guest. Mrs. Lane will soon go to San Francisco for an indefinite stay.

Tea for Interesting Visitors

To compliment Mrs. John P. Jones, Mrs. Cordenio Severance and Mrs. Franklin K. Lane, Mrs. Roy Jones, 308 South Commonwealth avenue, will receive friends at tea the afternoon of the 6th inst. In a few days Mrs. John P. Jones will join Mr. and Mrs. Harris Purhsay at their country place near Ojai for a short visit.

Series of Mah-Jongg Suppers

Mrs. E. A. Featherstone is entertaining a few friends this evening with an informal mah-jongg supper at her home, 1024 West Twenty-seventh street.

Home Again

Miss Ruth Mary Morris, daughter of Mrs. Fred Byron Blinn, 207 South Manhattan Place, arrived home Tuesday after a three months' visit in Chicago, St. Louis and Kansas City. Miss Morris made it a point to be in Chicago during the opera season and attended almost every performance. In St. Louis she was the guest of her uncle, Dr. C. C. Morris, a noted surgeon of the State of Missouri. He and his daughter entertained Miss Morris extensively, one of the most delightful affairs being the dinner-dance they gave for her at the Box-tree Club.

Dinner for Bridal Entourage

Mrs. William K. Young's dinner party tonight for Miss Hogan and her bridal party and Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Busch will be carried out in the most bride-like way. Miss Hogan's favorite colors, orchid and pink, are used throughout. There will be a row of delicate vases down the center of the table holding orchid and pink flowers. The favors are to be in the form of shoes, bells and little baskets of rice.

Luncheon at Country Club

Mrs. Ernest Rivers, whose gracious hospitality gives so much pleasure, entertained a large company of friends yesterday with a luncheon at the Los Angeles Country Club.

Leaving for Montana

Miss Helen Kessler of Helena, Mont., who has been at the Ambassador with her mother for some time, entertained a group of friends yesterday at luncheon in the Orange Tree Room prior to leaving for her home in Montana.

Dinner-Dance for Debutantes

Miss Nancy Billicke and Miss Marion Kellogg will give a dinner-dance at the Ambassador the evening of the 6th inst. Miss Georgianna Files, Misses Ann and Alice Ayer and Miss Betty Hixon are the honored debutantes. The blossoms of spring will be used in the decorating and marking of the places. The party includes Misses Dorothy Wellborn, Hortense McLaughlin and Florence McGarry and Henry de Roulet, Howard Cunningham, Emerson Spear, Fred LeBlond, Ernest Adams, Victor Forve, Aldrich Peck, Harold Bond and Robert Jasperson.

At Flintridge

Senator and Mrs. Egbert Gates are hosts who are making the season attractive for the younger set. They have sent out about 100 invitations to the younger set for a dinner-dance at the Flintridge Country Club the 24th inst. The guests of honor will be Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Baldwin.

Buffet Luncheon

Mrs. Ford Brown, wife of Commander Brown, gave a luncheon at her home in Altadena, Tuesday, for Mrs. Richard Harrison Jackson, wife of Admiral Jackson.

A New Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. William Maitland Beaman, 301 Aden Boulevard, are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby girl born yesterday at the California Hospital.

Kenney-Boyd

Miss Cecile Boyd, niece of Col. and Mrs. Oliver B. Hershman of Pittsburg, is to be married the 15th inst. to Dr. Maddison J. Keeney of Phoenix, Ariz. The marriage will take place at Miss Boyd's home on Wilshire Boulevard. A few very close friends will be present. During these two weeks prior to the wedding a number of affairs are being given for Miss Boyd. A few days ago Mrs. C. H. Nichols was hostess at a shower and bridge luncheon at the Ambassador. Mrs. R. C. Rickert and Mrs. Hazel White have sent out invitations for luncheon and bridge at the Los Angeles Country Club on the 7th inst., and on the 19th inst. Mrs. Henry Ivey will give a tea at the Mary Louise for Miss Boyd.

Birthday Party

Mrs. L. Samuels, who is living at the Ambassador, is planning a merry and delightful birthday party there tomorrow.

Tea Parties

Mrs. S. M. Pinkert, 668 Irolo street, is having fifty guests for tea tomorrow at the Ambassador.

Mrs. J. E. Black is entertaining thirty-five friends tomorrow.

Mrs. M. Murdock entertained six today.

Mrs. E. M. Drummond will be hostess to sixteen in the orange-tree room today.

TO REPRODUCE COSTUMES

Lady Page Tilton, wardrobe mistress at Grauman's Hollywood, has been asked by an eastern fashion magazine to permit the reproduction therein of the new Egyptian costumes she recently designed and executed for the usherettes at the Grauman playhouse. Each costume is different, and is symbolic of a certain event in Egyptian history or fable.

Debutante Will Tour Europe

[Maryland Photo, Pasadena]

Miss Ann Ayer

Miss Ann Ayer is the debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ayer of Pasadena. She is leaving soon with her parents and sister, Miss Alice Ayer, for a tour of Europe.

RICH WIDOW WILL MARRY EASTERNER

Mrs. Tomblin Announces Her Engagement to Connecticut Manufacturer

Announcement of the approaching marriage of Mrs. M. Marie Tomblin, widow of the late John Wesley Tomblin, Los Angeles, to August E. Rickerbacker, wealthy Connecticut shoe manufacturer, was made yesterday by Mrs. Tomblin, who also stated that she will leave within a few days for New York to attend to a business matter.

The "business matter," according to Mrs. Tomblin, concerns the settlement of an estate involving more than $1,000,000 absorbed to have been made over to her by a man she is said to have married almost three years ago, but whose name has never been made public.

Following their wedding in the East, Mr. and Mrs. Rickerbacker will make a tour of the Southern States, according to Mrs. Tomblin, and will then return to Los Angeles to build a fine home at Beverly Hills.

According to information given The Times yesterday by Mrs. Tomblin, she was previously married to a multimillionaire, a widower of New York, but the marriage was annulled three days after the ceremony. The husband of three days later remarried, according to Mrs. Tomblin.

Mrs. Tomblin said that her second husband settled a large estate upon her and that an agreement was entered into not to divulge the name of the man she had married. Upon signing certain papers, later, Mrs. Tomblin was to become possessor of the estate and her newly acquired name was to be dropped.

Mr. and Mrs. Tomblin lived in Los Angeles for twelve years at 720 West Twenty-eighth street. Mr. Tomblin was a member of the Chicago Stock Exchange and a banker. Mrs. Tomblin is a member of the Ebell and the Wa Wan clubs here and also a member of the Immanuel Presbyterian Church. She says she has donated a $60,000 pipe organ for the new Immanuel church of which Dr. Herbert Booth Smith is pastor.

IMMIGRATION OFFICIAL TO MAKE HOME HERE

F. W. Berkshire, recently designated one of the four immigration supervisors of the department at Washington, reached this city from El Paso, Tex. yesterday, where for the last fourteen years he has been supervising inspector of the Mexican border. His headquarters will be in Los Angeles, and he has arranged to remove his family to this city immediately.

"I have been waiting for years to get a chance to live in California," Mr. Berkshire said yesterday. He will have his office in connection with A. E. Burnett, inspector of the Los Angeles immigration district, in the Federal Building.

INVENTORY LIBRARY BOOKS

An inventory of the books in the Public Library, comprising more than 500 classes, including scientific, technical and industrial subjects, is now in progress, and library officials are requesting the return of any books overdue, in order to facilitate the inventory.

Diet and Health

By Lulu Hunt Peters, M.D.

Author of "Diet and Health, with Key to the Calories"

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THE HISTORY OF ME BY ME

Chapter XLIII

COLIC

Here we are with colic again. Some people might think I was spending altogether too much time on this painful subject. But I know the mammas won't and I am sure the babies won't. For of all the ordinary tragedies of babyhood (and fatherhood and motherhood, I'll state) colic ranks first.

But, mammas, I want to warn you again not to think everything we may have is colic. Sometimes we babies suffer with other things. However, if we are not cold and wet, and have no open pins trying to ingratiate their points into our tender bodies, and if we have no fever and are not fearfully famished or fearfully furious (because we have been taught that that is the way to get what we want!) and if we are gaining our four to six ounces a week—if we haven't these "ifs," then you can safely say that if we yell like a Comanche Indian and draw up our legs and our tummies are hard and distended, then we probably have colic.

Last week I gave you the chief causes of colic. If you missed my talks of last week and a week ago on colic you can have them by sending to our doctor. (But doctor says to remind you that you must address the envelope to yourself and stamp it or she cannot send you the information you ask for.)

I shall repeat today what to do for the attack at the time. Then if your baby has repeated attacks, you must find out which one of the causes I gave you is responsible for it and correct that. I know you will do so, for I know you will not want to be spending your nights and days with a miserable, unhappy baby.

Calomile, annise and cinnamon tea are old-fashioned remedies that mammas used to give. They do not do any harm and sometimes seem to help. Sometimes a drink of warm water with a pinch of baking soda or a half of a soda mint tablet will bring up the gas if it is in the stomach. It acts really by combining with the hydrochloric acid of the stomach and forming more gas, but when that comes up the other tags along.

If the gas is in the lower intestine a warm enema, made with a small cup of warm water with five to ten drops of turpentine or one-half a teaspoonful of salt, will bring the gas away. But enemas are not good for babies every day, mammas. Some mammas and some nurses (who ought to know better) give baby an enema nearly every time it cries. That is very bad.

If you will rub the abdomen gently with a circular motion, beginning on the right side low down, going up toward the stomach, then down on the left, it may help the gas to move along. Another thing you can do is to put baby on his back, bend his knees and press them gently on his abdomen several times. That opens up the lower bowel and gives the gas a chance to escape.

We must be kept warm and it is a good plan, after doing these other things, to put us on our tummies over a hot-water bag with a flannel cover.

If your baby suffers much with colic, mamma, you had better see a baby specialist so he can determine the cause and then you can correct it. The fault, as I have told you, may be due to your own errors of diet or habit. One thing you must not do, mammas, is to give babies soothing syrups and other drugs yourself. If you baby suffers so much that he needs medicine, then your doctor will prescribe it and watch baby.

One of the causes I gave was gas germs that get in the intestines. You will have to see your baby specialist about this and have him tell you how you can change the food to make them disappear.

Now I hope we shall be through with colic for a whole. Au revoir.

Tomorrow—Answers to Correspondents.

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LOS ANGELES CENTER OF ART

A. Phimister Procter, Sculptor and Painter Comes from Sacramento to Establish Studio

Seeing Los Angeles as the art center of America and believing that this city is rapidly becoming the cultural parlor of the world, A. Phimister Procter, internationally famous sculptor and painter, arrived here yesterday from Sacramento to establish one of the most elaborate studios on the Pacific Coast.

The new studio will probably be in Hollywood, according to Mr. Procter, although it is possible it will be established near Exposition Park, in which district many noted artists and are exhibitions are finding homes of exquisite beauty.

"I really haven't had time to look around yet," said Mr. Procter and he added with a smile: "Judging from what I hear of the growth of Los Angeles, it's going to take me quite a while to look the town over.

"It's different from what it was thirty years ago. There's hardly anything here now that was here when I first rode into this city, on horseback, thirty years ago—and on the other hand there are a multitude of fine things here now that were not here at that time. This time I came in on a cushioned seat in an auto. Oh, what civilization does to us—as well as for us! However, we can't keep our groves and plains forever, wandering about on the breast of Mother Nature like the fawns of the olden forests."

MISSES OLD DAYS

"But oh, I miss the old days!" sighed Mr. Procter. "We lived in those days—did things as well as dreamed them. No, maybe we didn't accomplish much in some ways, but didn't we have a good time? I rode here on horseback from Colorado, in which territory I had just killed a grizzly bear and a bull elk. I was 16 years old then—and you're mighty old when you're 16.

"However, I still love the Old West, for it's still colorful, grand and beautiful. I have a studio in New York, but I think—yes, I'm pretty sure—that I'm going to settle in Los Angeles, for this city is becoming the great art center of the country."

Mr. Procter, who is a member of all the important art societies of the East and who has gold medals obtained for exhibits at all the recent national exhibitions, as well as for sculptural exhibits at Paris, brought with him from Sacramento many fine bronze casts and has sent to New York for a score of bronze works which will be shown here within a short time.

STATUE OF ROOSEVELT

Last year, at New York, Mr. Procter finished the statue of the late President Roosevelt, which he started at Sacramento more than two years ago. The statue was made for Dr. Henry Waldo Coe of Portland, and was recently dedicated at Mr. Coe's home, the exercises including the singing of a song the words of which were composed by Ben Hur Lampman.

Another work of extraordinary interest to both artists and to students of American history is a large statue of an old-time circuit rider, which Mr. Procter recently finished in plaster and which has been sent to New York to be cast in bronze. The bronze cast will be sent to Salem, Or., and placed on the capitol grounds, the gift of R. A. Booth.

Mrs. Faris to be Laid at Rest Next Monday

Funeral services for Mrs. Alice Hynes Faris, 50 years of age, who died Wednesday at the Chase Diet Sanitarium, will be conducted at 10 a.m. Monday in St. Brendan Church, at the intersection of Third street and Western avenue. Father Sullivan of San Francisco and Father Ford of St. Brendan will officiate.

Mrs. Faris was the wife of William A. Faris of the Fifth Street Store and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hynes of this city. She came to Los Angeles with her parents from Quincy, Ill. She was married to Mr. Faris in 1915 in San Francisco.

Although a victim of ill health for the last two years, Mrs. Faris was well-known in club and social circles here. At the time of her death, she was living in the Faris home at 341 Arden Boulevard.

She leaves, besides Mr. Faris, her mother, Mrs. G. B. Hynes, three sisters, Mrs. N. B. O'Heran and Miss Edith Hynes of Los Angeles, Mrs. Harry Barrows of Wisconsin, and one brother, Herbert R. Hynes.

Burial will be at the Hollywood Mausoleum.

State Highways Action Is Taken by Local Body

The board of directors of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce yesterday took action indorsing and approving the recommendations of the road conference held in the rooms of the chamber January 31, as follows:

"The board of directors of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce is hereby requested to include the coast highway from Oxnard to San Juan Capistrano in the recommendation of the chamber concerning the completion of Southern California highways.

"The president of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce is hereby requested to appoint a committee of thirteen members, representing each county in Southern California, to wait on the State Highway Commission to find out the attitude of the commission toward completing the roads under construction in the State of California. (The board of directors modified this recommendation, increasing this committee to fifteen to give broader representation.)

"The representatives of chambers of commerce, boards of supervisors, and Automobile Club of Southern California, assembled in this road conference, do demand of their representatives in the State Legislature that they use every effort to bring about completion of the three transcontinental highways entering Southern California and the coast highway."

TRAIN HITS HIM; YOUTH UNHURT

Little Thing Like That Doesn't Faze Young Carl Moore

When a fast Santa Fe passenger train struck Carl W. Moore, 18 years of age, late yesterday at the railroad crossing on North Main street, the youth is said to have been thrown thirty feet in the air, to have turned three somersaults, and landed on his head fifty feet away from the point of contact.

"Where's my cigarette?" he asked Police Sergeant Ross and Officer Kuykendall, who, witnessing the accident, rushed up to gather up the pieces.

At the Receiving Hospital, Police Surgeon Charles Francis Sebastian was unable to find even a scratch on the youth's body. Even his hair, carefully combed and saturated with a stay-where-you-put-it tonsorial product, was unruffled, though a trifle sandy.

Young Moore is employed as a timekeeper for the Standard Oil Company and lives at 4006 West Seventeenth street.

Brother's Body Found by Man Near Railroad

Face down, near the Union Pacific railroad tracks at the intersection of Noaks streets and Sunol Drive, the body of B. P. Stadler, 30 years of age, 4809 Lovett street, was found last night by his brother, Dewey Stadler.

Deputy Sheriffs Johnson, Conley and Harrington were summoned and declared Stadler died from natural causes. No wounds were found on his body and a sum of money in his pockets showed he had not been robbed. The body was taken to the French & Sons undertaking establishment, 3819 East First street.

Stadler left his home to get some fence posts from the Union Pacific right-of-way, which he had been given permission to take, it was stated. He leaves a widow and three small children.

DR. MILLIKEN TO SPEAK

Dr. Robert A. Milliken, president of the California Institute of Technology, will give a lecture on "Church and Science" before Congregational ministers at 10:30 a.m. next Monday at the parish house of the First Congregational Church at the intersection of Ninth and Hope streets. The meeting will be open to the general public.

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New paint, new cord tires, other extras. $475.
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FORD coupe, 1921, like new, many extras. $400 down. Balance easy.
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FORD coupe, 1921, like new. Has $100 worth of extras. Nice original finish, 4 practically new tires. In perfect mechanical condition. Terms.
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FORD coupe, 1923, Ford starter, shock absorbers, wire wheels, new tires, motometer, spotlight, mirror, other extras. Privately owned. $475, cash or terms. 1174 VICTORIA.

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Has been thoroughly renewed, new top repainted, new rubber, full gear. $495.
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West and Northwest.

"ONE LOOK MEANS A LOT"
Wilshire—New 6-room stucco, finished in mahogany, breakfast nook, tile bath, extra bath, floor radiators, duplex garage. Price $12,500. Lot as first payment.

New 7-room, beautifully finished in solid mahogany, breakfast nook, tile bath, double garage, very complete. Price $13,650. Terms.
W. T. FITZPATRICK, CO.
914 Security Bldg. 6th & Hope. 62079.

$7350—REAL SNAP—$2000 CASH.
Nearly new 7-room bungalow, 3 bedrooms, wonderful breakfast-room, all built-in features, real fireplace. Lot 50x135, paved street, between red and yellow cars, near State University and grade schools. Classy surroundings, grand view.
First dep. takes this rare bargain.
CARL COFFMAN REALTY CO.,
Phone 62-3252. 4400 Morrow Ave.

HIGH CLASS WHITE FRAME BUNGALOW. Desirably located, large attractive rooms, ivory white trim, oak floors throughout, living room, fireplace, dining room, sun parlor, bungalow finished in ivory white, 2 bedrooms, bath, large living-room, dressing-room, sunroom, kitchen, breakfast-room, garage, drive, walks, with J. J. Atheron Co., 215 S. Hill. W. 6472.

$7,250 DAILY 1 TO 5 P. M.
WORCESTER PLACE. $12,500.
Beautiful 2-story modern home, 2 baths, 2 bedrooms, 2 sleeping porches, tile kitchen, breakfast-room, garage, drive, walks. Fine location. Owner, 1 block south of Wilshire Blvd., at Orford Pl.

$2,250 HELD THIS WEEK.
MAHOGANY FINISHED BUNGALOW only $10,850. Tiled bath and kitchen, floor furnace, built-in features, real fireplace, garage, paved street, close in. Large living-room, dining-room, 2 bedrooms, sleeping porch

INCOME PROPERTY—
For sale

$130,000.
PROMINENT WILSHIRE CORNER.
INCOME & INVESTMENT.
Located on a very prominent corner in the heart of the Wilshire district. The improvements are but 2 years old and consist of 2 high class modern, up-to-the-minute flat buildings of 4 apts. each, with 2 baths in each apt. Of the best of construction in this building is of the best and will stand the utmost critical inspection. The interior is finished in solid mahogany, hand rubbed, and the decorations are in oil. The entire equipment of all kitchens and baths are as well as all walls to a height of 5 feet from floor. Each flat has refrigerator and kitchen range, and has client connection, with large gas incinerator in basement for garbage. There are 12 garages. The present income is $14,580 on very conservative rentals, all leased on yearly terms. We can deliver this choice property for a short time for $110,000, and $40,000 cash is necessary. Your net income on that basis is 20%. Where can you beat it, especially in property of this class? Come in and let us give you all the details. See MR. GRAM or MR. KEOHN.
Income Department.
TIBBALS & GRANT CO.
Wilshire at Western. Wil. 2004.

$15,000. $7500 CASH.
NEW FLAT BUILDING.
4-family, 4-room each, finished granite stucco exterior. Each flat has large living-room, large bedroom, dining-room with built-in silver closet bet. tile bath, tile sink in kitchen. All built-in conveniences, including electric refrigerator. Will produce $2600 yearly. Located on 41st Place near Broadway. Mr. Breshears, owner's exclusive agent, with
LA BONTY & RANSOM CO.,
1900 West Seventh st.
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S2167.

WILSHIRE FLAT.
$35,000.
INCOME $3600 PER YEAR.
Located in highest class residential section in Los Angeles.
8 rooms, 3 bedrooms, one with 5 windows. Tiled bath with extra size dressing room. Snowy white kitchen with breakfast nook and fruit closet. Large sun porch, 4 garages. Wonderful view. This building was designed from a flat which sold for $45,000.
Let us explain the exceptional construction.
Mr. Taylor.
BURTON & CO.
Western ave. at 10th st.
709621.

$10,000 TO SWING IT.
PRICE $12,000.
4-unit home, nearly new, duplex house completely furnished, and one 2-rm. house unfurnished, all on a corner lot 120x150. Will consider part TRADE IN PROPERTY NEAR TOWN OF EQUAL VALUE.

INCOME OVER $5000 PER YEAR.
IF YOU MEAN BUSINESS CALL OR WRITE
OMAR REALTY CO.,
4810 SOUTH PARK AVE. 295666.

BUNGALOW COURT. INCOME $610 MO.
We are instructed to offer for immediate sale a group of 10 units completely furnished at a real sacrifice. Owner is forced to realize and is thoroughly willing to sell below actual value. This is positively one of the finest locations and best buys in Hollywood. Close to best rental district in Hollywood. Our price for one week is $54,000. With about $15,000 cash, balance can be arranged to suit. Phone at low rents, $610 per mo.
METROPOLITAN REALTY CO.,
1625 Western ave. Gr. 37787.

WESTERN-AVE. FLAT BARGAIN
$42,000
on 120 feet on Western, near 61st street, where big building is going up within the next six months. This lot is improved with a 4-flat building, consisting of 3 units and 1 of 4 rooms and bath. Present income $4680 a year. $18,000 cash will handle. This is positively the best buy on Western avenue. See MR. GRAM or MR. KEOHN, with 2004.
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Wilshire at Western

FOR SALE—
THE BEST BUY IN WEST WASHINGTON HEIGHTS—New stucco 4-family flat, 2 rooms each; oak floors, built-in buffet and kitchen, hardwood floors; 4 garages, income $300 month. Can deliver for a short time at a very low price on reasonable terms.
THE HOTT COMPANY,
1229 Lee's State Bldg. Bdwy. 1892.

A stucco double bungalow of 5 rooms each side with income of $150 month. North Wilshire. This should please you.
VIRGIL E. WATTERS
426-819 4489 Beverly Blvd. 429-361.

$90 NEW beautiful place: Wilshire 4-flat building, reduced to $20,000, offer $22,500; 4 rooms each; 4 in front, 4 in rear; income $2400. MR. WRIGHT, Sun. 50838; with R. ALTHOUSE CO., 315 S. Western. WE. 4776.

UNDER the hammer, 5 stores, 15 for rented units, 2 car lots, 27 rentals in property; $4000 cash will handle; $75,000, for quick sale, $63,000. $9000 cash. MR. BANCOCK with C. DOMBROWSKI, 4375 Monona.

NEW furnished 4-flat, 6 rooms, the other 4 rooms; large lot near Santa Barbara, on 59th street. Income and 3 Owl. $5500. PFOTZER & SMITH. 1624 Lee's State Bldg.

INCOME bargain, 5-story apartment-house, northwest section; wonderful view. Let $20,000 handle; income $10,000; 3 rent; Price $50,000. GEO. C. PECKHAM, 1101 Hibernian Bldg. 62302.

$35,000, $7750 CASH, bal. terms; earning 20%, flats, 2 apts. and 2 stores, one store let on rents for $215 per mo. 5472 WHITTIER BLVD. Lorena Heights Realty Co., Boyle 3020.

6-FAM. flat, beautiful place. Sacrifice price with small payment. A bargain. Dandy flats for today. ALLEN & PLANTEEN, 211 Detwiler Bldg.: 820-345 or 115-84.

DOUBLE bungalow, completely furnished, owner leaving city. Price each, $4,000. Small payment. Monthly rental, $40. Quick sale, $3,600; $3000 cash. See 8125, 4378 MONETA.

$17,000 bungalow court, 6 garages; lot 100x144. Hollywood, Bdwy. Beautiful modern; income $240 month. Price $15,000. Call room 875-6. 524551. 62562.

4 RMS., stucco double, and 4-rm. house in rear; location ideal; $5,500. If car like. Wide mixed st., make offer. BOURKE & JACKES, 6th and Rampart. 558-016.

$6,000 NEW value for quick sale; new 4-unit flat, modern to the minute; by owner. Completed 2976922. All rented except 1 apartment.

SACRIFICE by owner, Beautiful Silver Lake home, 6 rooms, tile, $1250 cash. 5623 W. 20TH ST. Open for inspect.

INCOME PROPERTY—
For sale

WILSHIRE DISTRICT.
Within 3 minutes' walk of Wilshire Blvd. and Vermont ave., and only 10 minutes from business center.
Only $23,000. Conservatively worth $28,000. One flat immediately and elegantly furnished. Furniture included.
New 2-story stucco flat building, 9 apartments having 4 large rooms each, Beautiful paneled porches, and one 5 rooms. Income $2720 a year.
Strictly modern, hardwood floors throughout. Tastefully decorated. Large lot with 4 garages. Ideal neighborhood, only one block from 2 lines of electric cars.
This property is certain to increase in value rapidly. WILSHIRE DISTRICT'S GREATEST BARGAIN IN HIGH-CLASS INCOME PROPERTY.
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HOME AND INCOME
In Wilshire Dist.
ON GROUND FLOOR
7 rooms, tile bath, with shower, large living-room and dining-room, finished in mahogany, breakfast nook and kitchen, 4 bedrooms, one with separate lavatory and toilet.
SECOND FLOOR
2 suites, one of 4 and one of 5 rooms, bringing combined rental of $1250 per month (will rent more.)
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FLAT BARGAIN
Price $27,500. $7500
4-5 room flats, owner NEEDS CASH to pay farm mortgage. Location west of Normandie near 10th. KILB & MATHISON.
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6-ROOM new mod.-house, WILSHIRE DISTRICT. LEASED for 10 YEARS at $12,600 annually. WONDERFUL building. Will exchange for income property; also will handle. Investigate if you are OPPOSED for an investment.
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W. 7775; Wil. 1925.

$30,000 CASH, 4-flat, stucco, fine, $50,000; 2 flats, 4 rooms each, 2 dressing-rm. 4 garages, inc. $400 mo. Bluint dist. 4-unit, 2 rms., garages, University dist. $18,000. 2 flats, 5 rms. each, $10,000. $10,000, duplex, beautiful 6 rms., 3ca. Cost, to-day, $16,000. W. Adams. GRAHAM, 1261 W. Washington. West 6060.

4-FAMILY flat, ALL FURNISHED, ONLY $18,000; $7500 HANDLES. OWNER LEAVING CITY. 2 BLOCKS CAR.

Located on main paved boulevard, 5 blocks from Belmont Arts School. Re built for today. It won't last long. LEMING & NORRIS.
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Here's a wonderful piece of business property which will pay you 20% net on $18,500 cash investment after deducting taxes and interest on mortgage. Rents are substantial. Glad to show you. 4710 S. VERMONT.

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Four flats, 3 rooms and bath each completely furnished. Good rental district. Price $9000, about net income. Owner will accept $3000 cash. This is a real buy. See W. C. BUCHANAN, OWNER, 218 Van Nuys Bldg. Bdwy. 1577.

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ONLY $5000 TO HANDLE—
Brand new four 4-room flats, hardwood floors, tiled bath and kitchen. Built in features all over. Rents $70 per month. Located on W. Jefferson; $17,000 will buy it and only $5000 to handle. GILMORE & NAYLAND, 714 Law's Main Building. 830-427.

BEAUTIFUL WILSHIRE FLATS—
Nearly new 4-room flats, hardwood floors and paneled. Full tiled bath and kitchen. Monthly net 75 @ 4 garages. Located on Wilshire Blvd. Price $18,000. Owner interested. Come to see owner. Completely furnished. Good terms. Apply 312 GRANT BLDG. Pico 5678.

READ THIS.
For sale, double corner, 117-119 E. 27th st., $7000. Lot 50x125, worth $4000. This is close in and good home property. Rents for $65 per month. Good investment and property will soon double in value. See W. B. DUNMIRE, 3793 Maple ave.

FOR SALE—
BEST CLOSE-IN BUY IN LOS ANGELES, $17,000. Owner must sacrifice at once. Terms, $2400 cash. See this to appreciate it. MR. NEW, Sunday, with
THE HOTT COMPANY,
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We sell you a ¼ acre, an acre or more to suit, with gas, elec., very cheap water, also paved roads.
We have poultry advisor with 12 yrs.' experience in this dist. to guide you to immediate success. Latest, proven system.
We introduce you to prosperous, established clients.
Our 100-acre tract, located in Arcadia, is very near car and line service. Part of famous "Lucky Baldwin ranch."
We help you in every way to get properly started. Also improved places for sale. We are owners.
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HALF-ACRE BLVD. TRACTS $100.
Beautiful ½-acre home sites, elevation 1400 ft. Wonderful scenic view, productive soil, level land. Will grow anything, particularly grapes. On boulevard and adjacent to the most productive fruit country in Southern California. Total purchase price $150, within reach of all. Payments $5 monthly. Guaranteed title, which includes oil rights. Get a choice location now. ADAMS GRAPELANDS OFFICE, 520 Lissner Bldg., Los Angeles. (Open evenings.)

FOR SALE—Home in Ramona Acres. One acre, fully laid out in garden and fruits. Many flowers and shrubs, roses and many varieties fruits, berries, grapes, etc. Cute and maid's quarters; fern and garden's room. Space for extra car. Six-room cottage with all conveniences, hardwood floors throughout; tennis court. Everything you want in a country home. Must be seen to be appreciated. Can be used as stands, or ripe for subdivision into lots and building sites. For price and terms, see JAMES T. BARKELEW, owner, 911 Central Bldg. Pico 8215.

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A new tract with
ORANGES
Why buy a barren lot?
COUNTRY CLUB and BLVD. FRONTAGE.
All improvements in and paid. Terms. Lots 50x173 and larger. $1150 up.
10% discount on first ten lots sold before Feb. 15th, going fast!
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THROUGH unforeseen circumstances I am forced to sell a beautiful 6-rm. house, 4 nice bedrms., very large living sleeping porch and tiled bath, screened. This is not only an A-1 income property, but a home that cannot be replaced in value. Price, $10,000. Same terms.
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PAYING OVER 20% NET. OWNER FINCHED FROM EAST. SACRIFICING HIS BEAUTIFUL COURT, 6 UNITS, JUST COMPLETED, ALL OCCUPIED. VERY LATEST FEATURES THROUGHOUT. BUILT-IN BATH, BEST OF HARDWARE AND FLEKTRIC FIXTURES. NOTHING TO COMPARE IN LOS ANGELES. INVESTIGATE AT ONCE. PRICE $14,000. CASH $12,000. INC. $4320 A YEAR. CALL AT 4427 S. WESTERN.

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4-FLAT BUILDING
Close to shops and car. 4 flats, 4 rooms each, oak floors, fixed condition, large lot, garages. Conservative annual rental $3460. Exceptional bargain at $15,000.
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$16,000
A beautiful new Spanish stucco of four rooms each, in the new five-room bungalow to match on large corner lot. Wonderful view, splendid location. Two beautiful flats of 4 rooms and bath $120 check each month from double. It assures you a fine home easy.
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WILSHIRE BARGAIN—Four-family flat; each flat has large living room, dining-room, bedroom and kitchen; walls hard plastered; canvas garages; 50-ft. lot, near 3rd and Western; must swap at $30,000. For appointment call
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OWNER'S SACRIFICE AUT QUICK. BUSINESS PROPERTY OF 6 STORIES AND 6 FLATS ON CENTRAL AVENUE LOT; 100 FEET ON ALAMEDA. ALL GROUND ALONE BANK APPRAISED AT $150,000. NOW BOOMING AS INDUSTRIAL. SHOWS $3000 YEARLY INCOME AT LOW RENTALS. WITH 2ND MORTGAGE, $18,000 NOW. BAL. $6000 MTG. 4427 S. WESTERN.

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EIGHT-UNIT NEW STUCCO COURT in West Adams district; property is in course of $405, and can be had at a ridiculously low price and for $8,000 first payment.
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CLASS-IN INCOME SNAP
Two dandy duplexes; separate lots, 50 front; 5 rms. each side; 2 garages; 1 car lines and stores. All rented, those five ten. Property clear, pr. $21,000 for the two. DAGG, 6664 S. Western. Wal. 4008.

LONG BEACH FLAT BUY.
Five 16-rm. stucco flats, right on 7th st., 2 blocks from Pine ave. Flats are furnished. Owner says "sell," and makes sacrifice price of $25,000. Better see this. SHAW & BURDETTE, 117 N. Vermont ave. Phone Wash. 675.

BUY from Owner direct. Unusually attractive duplex, consisting of 12 rooms, 6 each side, 4 garages, located North Hollywood Blvd., ideal location for home and income. Large lot, room for more units. $9,000 cash handles. Balance easy terms. HOLLYWOOD 10668.

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If you are in the market for income property, phone WILSHIRE 4834 and I will tell you about the best buy in L. A. New high class, 4-family 6 & 7, 12 min. from Pike's. Paying 20% net.

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Owner must sell house, lot, furniture and all, 12 apts. Income $4000 per annum. Price $35,000, terms. For appointment call BDWY. 3261—11975.

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Venice and Ocean Park.
10 ACRES near car line, $15,000, terms. Owner, 1616 FIFTH AVE. Ph. 762349.

COUNTRY PROPERTY—
For Sale

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GENTLEMAN'S COUNTRY HOME
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COMBINATION STOCK RANCH.
Most beautiful ranch in Southern Calif. Over 5000 A. Near paved highway, only 80 miles from ocean, at 1800 feet altitude. About 2000 A. good plow land; 500 A. now in grain. 60 A. alfalfa land with irrigation. Splendid buildings. 20 horses, lots of machinery, 250 cattle, 100 hogs. Two creeks on ranch, many wells and springs. Beautiful live oaks. This is a wonderful combination stock, grain and fruit ranch, and a delightful home. Perfect climate. Price $180,000.
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Highly improved 112 acres on highway in Kern co. Grapes, peaches, apricots, olives. Strictly modern improvements. Unusual water supply. Extremely easy ripening of fruit. Price $175,000 clear. The best buy in Kern county. Only desirable high-class income property will be considered. Phone EDWY. 3062, C. F. BALAAM, 910 Van Nuys Bldg.

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Southern California alfalfa ranch, fully equipped, first-class in every way. One mile frontage on State highway, a paved road. Los Angeles to San Francisco. Equity $35,000. Will exchange on bank investment for city income property in Victoria, Vancouver, South or Puget Sound cities. P. O. BOX 1, IRVINE, Tustin, Cal.

20 ACRES bearing PRUNE ORCHARD, on river-bottom soil in northern part of State. Big yield each year. Full price $16,000. This part of State is attractive and productive; crop 43% of price; investigate. Ranch fully equipped, house, barn, tools, etc. Write for price. Terms. A. W. HINCKS, owner, Nicolaus, Cal.

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EXCEPTIONAL bargain in 20-acre home place, 1¼ miles from Colton; acres peaches and apricots, grand house, own water. Must be sold. OWNER, P. O. box E, Colton, Calif.

12½-ACRE ranch; 9 acres in alfalfa; abundance of water, cement fumes, foothill section, bargain, price $9500. GEO. C. PECKHAM, 1101 Hibernian Bldg. 62302.

A FARM and a homesite for $100; terms, $20 cash and $10 per mo. without interest. For information, write or call CALACRE, 7003 JR. GOPHERIM BLDG.

FOR SALE—Ranch of 160 acres, Artesia. Fenced. House, Artesian well. Fine of Inquisbrance. Will take trade for St. Cal. Address LC, box 899, TIMES BRANCH.

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Ranch and fruit lands for sale. Inquire J. HANCH, Postmaster.

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SOUTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD LANDS.
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Antelope Valley.

FOR SALE or exchange, Improved farm. Lancaster, $8000; cash, small bungalow, balance time. Oil leasing half info. J. C. C. TIMES OFFICE, Santa Monica.

Arizona.

ARIZONA to trade for Southern Cal. property; have 100 acres at 7m. school, north $50 per acre, 40 cleared, 30 level, small house, 1deal health condition. Address LC, box 516, TIMES BRANCH.

TRADE your equity for 112 acres select citrus, alfalfa or melon land near Yuma. Ariz. Price $12,000. Only $50 per acre. BOX 1060, Arcade Station.

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FOR SALE—Vineyard, bargain, 40 or 80 acres, 1 year matured, good grape land, near Brawley. Stand close inspection. Reasons for selling. Might consider active partner with some equity. Owner, 622 W. 35TH PL. Phone So. 7449-J.

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FERTILE farms in the new American colony in Mexico on easy monthly payments. Call or write for full information.
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FOR SALE—42 acres of No. 1 land with an oil well right down on adjacent property. Need cash, will sacrifice for $100 an acre. See Owner, P. C. MILLER, Newhall, Cal.

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5-ROOM modern house, cellar, garage, chicken run, fruit trees; lot 80x132 ft. Price $3000; $1000 cash, balance terms to suit. RAY FOILES, 420 Caldwell ave., Ontario, Cal.

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PORTERVILLE, CENTRAL CALIFORNIA, for 5-acre, 10-acre or 20-acre tracts on Springville Highway, in famous "Mt. Whitney Brand" district. 22 acres 18-year-old Washington navels and one acre Pomegranates, the remaining 27 acres bare land, plowed, cleared and suitable for planting.
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Terms by arrangement. Apply Owner, Miss M. McKERSIE, Star Route 2, Porterville, Cal., or R. K. CAMERON, Fremont Hotel, 4th and Olive, Los Angeles.

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FOR EXCHANGE—20 acres, 8 year old peaches and cotts; A-1 condition; price $3500. Address F. B. CHAFFEE, box 837, Upland, Cal.

EASTERN, NORTHERN PTY.
For Sale, Ex., Wanted, Etc.

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FOR SALE or exchange for Los Angeles property, beautiful ten-room home in Berkeley close to University grounds all modern conveniences; can be sold partly furnished. Apply BOOTH INVESTMENT COMPANY, 401 Equitable Building.

For Exchange

EXCHANGE—Small grocery store property at Hines, Ariz., 5 living rooms, all complete; furnished and rented; clear of incumbrance. 1st payment house and lot. Bldg. or cash balance. Also 100 acres unimproved good land in Michigan. CLEAR. What can you offer? Call OWNER, 134 North Hancock st.

EXCHANGE.
Will exchange good furniture and lease of apt.-house for well located income; double bungalow or 4-family flat. PHONE 63570 or 438758.

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FOR EXCHANGE—120-acre alfalfa ranch in Oregon, clear, for S. Cal. Owner, 702 SANTA MONICA BLVD., Seaside.

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For Exchange.

FOR EXCHANGE—One of the finest ranches in the Willamette Valley, Oregon, 295 acres, all tiled and in cultivation. First-class buildings, stock, tractor and implements. Price, $50,000. Clear. Want $a. Cal. city or country property. Will assume reasonable amount. SIDNAM REALTY CO., 245 W. Center st., Anaheim, Cal.

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WANT eastern city property for local income. C. H. PAXSON, 350 W. 9th. 62851.

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Miscellaneous

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GUARANTEED production. Landowner Signal Hill, 4000 barrel territory. Will sell 1 per cent royalty at $2500 and give secured guarantee of oil or money back with interest. Drilling immediately by responsible producer. This will pay you $500 to $1500 per month. Address K, box 504, TIMES BRANCH.

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SIGNAL HILL, SANTA FE SPRINGS, HUNTINGTON BEACH.
LARGE OR SMALL TRACTS. LARGE OR SMALL BONUS.
ROYALTIES FROM 1-6 TO ⅛.
CAN DELIVER THE GOODS.
QUICK ACTION ON DESIRABLE LOCATIONS NECESSARY.
DON'T DELAY. ACT QUICKLY.
DO IT NOW.
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CALL EVENINGS, RESIDENCE PHONES, HOLLY 8147 OR 577644.

OIL LAND—Long lease, one-sixth royalty No bonus. Tax to sixty acres. Must act at once. Will take in partner to test for ground floor. Test well now in rich oil shale, down over 2500 ft. Two other wells started near by. Several million feet of gas produced at 900 and below. Best prospect in this valley. Close to L. A. Address A. N. HOLDAWAY, Potter Apts., Venice.

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FOR SALE—Lease at Signal Hill, in line with best production in that field. Large protected drainage area. Call phone HOLlywood 7006 or 294-504 for appointment.

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PLEA IS SENT TO CONGRESS

German Labor Unions Would Avert Disaster

Declare Occupation of Ruhr Will Bring Ruin

America Alone Can Save, is Tenor of Appeal

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

BERLIN, Feb. 1.—Organized German labor, speaking for more than half the population of the German republic, views the American Congress as the logical tribunal to which to address an appeal, declaring that "American honor asserted at this time can save us and the world from the inevitable disaster."

This is the keynote of a message, which was forwarded to Washington this afternoon, carrying the signatures of the chairmen of the executive boards of the General Federation of Trade Unions, the Federation of Christian Labor Unions, the League of Clerical Employees and the Independent Federation of Liberal Trade Unions, which embraces a registered membership of 12,000,000 male and female workers.

OUTCOME OF OCCUPATION

Labor's action is the direct outcome of apprehensions with which the situation growing out of the occupation of the Ruhr is viewed by the federation leaders, regardless of their political affiliations, and the telegraphic appeal to both houses of Congress is a briefly and informally worded message recalling the German workmen's willingness to submit to complete disarmament and their prompt readiness to adopt a democratic constitution in return for the American promise that right and justice should prevail in the postwar adjustments.

The labor leaders assert that their action was undertaken independent of any influence from official sources, which, it was stated, would first learn of the appeal to the American Congress in case it was reported back from Washington. Neither has the German press been appraised of the unique procedure.

"We decided to go straight to the official representatives of the American people with our appeal, and preferred to dispense with official or diplomatic intervention," Paul Grassmann, vice-chairman of the general federation's executive board, informed the Associated Press.

"The message was drafted this morning at a joint session of the executive heads of the four federations, and it represents the feeling of alarm with which labor already is contemplating the situation after three weeks of the Ruhr occupation. There is something more than the fate of the Ruhr Basin at stake. If Germany is still a land of apparent order and organization it is only because the dozen cool-headed men in charge of organized labor's ranks have prevented the workers in all lines from becoming dangerously restive."

Redlands Has Silver Jubilee for Charities

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

REDLANDS, Feb. 1.—Twenty-five years ago today Dr. J. H. Williams, pastor of the Congregational Church, called together a meeting at which time the Associated Charities was organized. This morning he presided at the silver jubilee of the association which in those twenty-five years has brought relief to 10,000 persons.

Rev. E. S. Lane, rector of Trinity Episcopal Church, spoke this morning on "Giving." Miss Ruth Fish in her report said 933 people were helped the past year, 3000 quarts of milk and 2500 garments were given in relief. May Day baskets were taken to the County Hospital patients. Thanksgiving baskets were given to seventy-five families and 200 stockings were filled for children at Christmas.

Officers elected were E. M. Lyon, president; K. H. Field and Mrs. Ben Hodge, vice-presidents; Mrs. J. P. Fisk, secretary and J. O. Riddell, treasurer. Those with Miss Mary Cornwall, Miss Mary Crawford, Mrs. A. W. Dike, Mrs. Robert Herold, Mrs. Leland Lyon, Miss Estelle Shepherd, Mrs. J. A. Stewart, Mrs. G. G. White, F. H. Clock, F. C. Hornby, Rev. E. S. Lane, Rev. G. F. Langford, R. W. Lodge, and E. M. Montgomery form the board of directors.

REWARD OFFERED FOR MURDEROUS BANDITS

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

VENTURA, Feb. 1.—Within half an hour after Clinton Putnam died, the sum of $1000 had been raised in Ventura for the arrest and conviction of the boy's slayer. Putnam was shot down by two bandits when he refused to open the till at the gasoline station where he was employed. Bullets passed through his lungs and he lingered for two days.

He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Putnam, who lost their second son Lawrence but a few weeks ago.

YOUTH STRUCK BY AUTO NEAR DEATH

Struck by an automobile at the intersection of Forty-first and Hoover streets, last night, Milton Jepson, 725 West Forty-first street, was taken to the Receiving Hospital suffering from a basal skull fracture, which Police Surgeon Dodge declared might cause his death. C. B. Johnson, 1247 West Seventy-seventh street, driver of the machine which is said to have struck Jepson, in a report made to the University Police Station, declared that the youth jumped from a moving street car directly in his path.

Herron Chosen Campaign Chief for University

Mark Herron, Deputy United States Attorney, was yesterday named to the temporary chairmanship of a group of University of Southern California alumni, organized for the purpose of uniting alumni sentiment for the $10,000,000 endowment and development campaign of the institution. Mr. Herron will immediately begin the active organization of the alumni on the campaign.

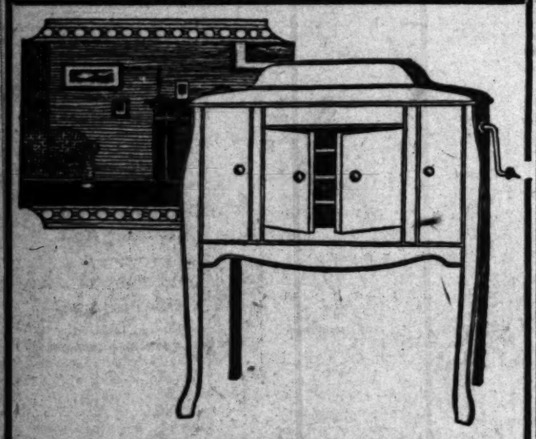
Mr. Herron announced that the rating of the National Association of Universities places U.S.C. on an even basis scholastically with Yale and Harvard in the East, and definitely establishes the high character of the liberal arts college.

"The growth of the university during the past few years has been so great that many of the alumni are not familiar with the strides which have been taken," declared Mr. Herron. "It is our purpose to acquaint the alumni with the remarkable standing of their alma mater. After this is done we shall form an organization to help put the campaign over the top."

VAGRANT REARRESTED

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

ANAHEIM, Feb. 1.—After a search of several hours, H. Carter, the fifth member of a party of five vagrants who escaped from Deputy Sheriff Edward McLellan, while passing through Anaheim on the way to the County Jail in Santa Ana, was captured by Anaheim officers today. The five men are confined in the County Jail while efforts are being made to hasten an investigation of their past records.



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Pyorrhea is about to strike.

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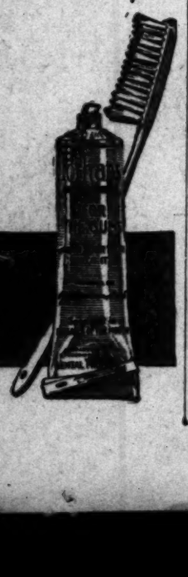

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POWER NEEDS OF WEST TOLD

Contractors' Convention is Given Facts

Huge Development Necessary to Offset Gains

Seasonal Contract Awarding Declared Mistake

Louis C. Hill of Los Angeles, yesterday addressed the delegates to the national convention of the Associated General Contractors of America, on the subject of "Hydraulic and Hydroelectric Works in the West."

The subject has been constantly brought before the attention of Californians, and has commanded, and is commanding, a great deal of interest, for it is of vital importance to the industries of the West.

Mr. Hill said, in pointing out the increased demand for hydro-electric power in the West, and the development which will probably be necessary in the future.

"In 1902 the per capita use in California alone was about 100 kilowatt hours per year, and the average for the United States was in the neighborhood of thirty kilowatt hours per year. In 1910 this had risen for the United States to about eighty-five kilowatt hours per capita each year, and for California to 500 kilowatt hours per year. In 1922 the United States demand had gone up to nearly 500 kilowatt hours per year.

HEAVY REQUIREMENTS

"In order to meet the demands of California alone it is necessary to develop about 100,000 kilowatt hours more each year. This means an average yearly expenditure of not less than $20,000,000. Of this amount machinery will absorb not more than 15 per cent.

"Practically all of this power is being developed by streams draining the west slope of the Sierra Nevada Mountains. The time is approaching, however, when the available power from these sources will be exhausted, and other sources must be tapped to supply the needs of this one State.

"Power as a by-product of irrigation was first developed on a large scale on the Salt River project in Arizona, when an 11,000-kilowatt plant was built at Roosevelt and three smaller plants at drops in the canal system in the valley below. In this State until recently no attempt has been made to utilize this by-product. At the Don Pedro storage dam on the Tuolumne River, built to store water for the use of the Modesto and Turlock irrigation districts, a power plant is now being built to utilize part of the available power. The dam was constructed by the forces of the districts."

TELLS OF PROJECTS

Mr. Hill went on to tell of several projects destined to develop power as a by-product of irrigation, and concluded his speech by saying:

"The storage capacity of the Boulder Canyon reservoir which it is proposed to build in Arizona, will be more than ten times as great as that of the Elephant Butte reservoir, which at present is the largest in the United States. The Boulder Canyon dam will be operated first for flood protection for the lands below it, second, for the purpose of irrigation, and third, for power.

"It will be possible to generate 600,000 horsepower of base power by the construction of the proposed dam. The transmission distance from Los Angeles is not far from 300 miles. The total yearly kilowatt hours which could be generated may reach nearly 5,000,000,000. The cost of the dam, power plants and transmission lines is estimated at $100,000,000. With the growing needs of Arizona, Nevada and California this great output would soon be absorbed."

"As you can see, even in this small section of the country, there is much interesting work in prospect."

Another talk which commanded interest was that of A. F. Johnston, who spoke on "Continuous Lettings."

URGES NEW SYSTEM

Mr. Johnston asserted in his speech that it was highly desirable to do away with the present system of letting out contracts for construction work during the first three months of the year alone. He pointed out that the introduction of a system of contract awarded at all seasons of the year would promote efficiency, economy to both the builder and the owner, and aid materially in solving the country's labor problems.

Sam Hotchkiss of St. Louis spoke on the consolidation of crafts in the building trades.

He held that consolidation of trades was desirable; that the work of brick mason, bricklayer, plasterer could be done by one man, thereby eliminating the problem which has confronted builders as a result of the nation-wide shortage of tradesmen) and affirmed that by such a consolidation greater efficiency and general satisfaction could be attained. He arraigned the wage-plus bonus system, declaring that it is responsible for a great deal of the unrest of labor, and concluded his address with an appeal to the Associated General Contractors to launch a campaign for the purpose of teaching the boys and mothers of the United States that the wearing of overalls need cast no stigma on a man.

OFFICERS ELECTED

Officers were elected during the afternoon session of the convention for two of the divisions of the association.

L. L. Rogers of Rogers Brothers, Los Angeles, was elected to be chairman of the highway division; N. F. Helmers of St. Paul was elected vice-chairman.

John R. Wiggins will serve next year as chairman of the building division, and W. F. Creighton of Nashville will act as vice-chairman.

CHAMBERLAIN'S COLIC, CHOLERA AND DIARRHOEA REMEDY

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EASTERN YOUTH IS SOUGHT HERE

Oliver H. Moore

Is Oliver H. Moore, 17 years of age, formerly of Pittsburg, Pa. in this city?

The boy ran away from home June 1, 1921, for a reason his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver T. Moore, could never understand. There had been no family trouble and the boy was considered a fine lad with excellent habits and character. Search for a trace of him has continued without intermission.

His parents are heartbroken and have appealed to readers of The Times for aid. They have had descriptions of him broadcasted by radio also, and would appreciate any information regarding the boy's whereabouts.

LAST WORD IN LAUNDERING

Government Booklet Will Be Given Free to "Times" Readers

How to plan your laundry room; the proper equipment to use; all about rinsing, starching, hanging, drying, sprinkling, ironing; the different processes in washing cottons, linens, woolens and silks; how to whiten clothes when they are yellow; in fact, every problem of home laundering is covered in a free household booklet issued by the States Relations Service.

Write name and address clearly on the coupon, inclosing 2 cents in stamps for return postage, and send to Los Angeles Times Information Bureau, Washington, D. C. To avoid wrong delivery at Washington, use full address as given. Do not send to the Times' Los Angeles office.

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Men's Good Shoes, 5.00

Please note the word GOOD. For these are calfskin shoes on smart English or French toe lasts or blucher cuts with full round toes—welt soles and rubber heels. Dark brown and black—sizes 6 to 11.

Buckskin Gloves, 3.00

No man need be told that here is an unusual value. Genuine buckskin gloves, triple sewn to insure against ripping, are a real buy at 3.00. As smart as they are long wearing—particularly desirable for motorists.

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MANY LOCAL MAGICIANS IN MEETING

"Black Art" Exponents Celebrate Birthday of Oldest Living Professional

Members of the Los Angeles Society of Magicians and a host of friends and admirers packed the hall of the Masonic Temple at the intersection of Third street and Western avenue, last night to celebrate the eightieth birthday anniversary of Horatio G. Cooke, the oldest living magician in the world.

Those taking part in the impromptu program were A. H. Shirk, Max Ascher, Matt Martin, David M. Roth "World's Greatest Memory Expert," F. G. Thayer, Larry Grey, "The Dizzy Wizard," and Miss Marguerett Anson, vocal soloist, assisted by Mrs. Dana Walden at the piano.

The program was closed by Mr. Cooke performing the "Chinese Linking Rings," the oldest trick in the world by the oldest magician.

Harry Cooke, as he is professionally known, was born in Norwich, Ct., Feb. 1, 1843. He enlisted in the Civil War at the age of 17 and was appointed an independent scout by President Lincoln.

He was widely known in the Army for his ability to escape from rope ties and while at Alexandria, Va., just before the Shenandoah campaign, he was summoned to the office of the Secretary of War in Washington.

In the presence of President Lincoln and Gens. Sherman and Hancock, he demonstrated his ability as an "escape artist" and as a token of appreciation, President Lincoln presented Mr. Cooke with a $2 bill that he still possesses.

His skill in escaping from rope ties later saved his life and that of his comrades when he was captured by a band of Mosby's guerillas and sentenced to be shot.

After an eventful life in the Army, Mr. Cooke went on the stage as a magician and for forty-one years devoted his time to the expose of fraudulent spirit mediums and until the time of his retirement in 1907, was one of the foremost in this line of work.

At the close of the performance, refreshments were served and Prof. Cooke was presented with a gold life membership card by his fellow-magicians.

CANADIANS WILL PICNIC

The Canadian Club will conduct its annual reunion and picnic at Bixby Park, Long Beach, the 24th inst. All former Canadians and tourists from Canada are invited. Thomas McGuire, former chief justice of the Northwest Territories Supreme Court, is president of the club.

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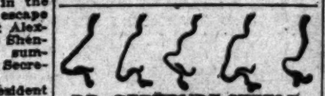

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RIVERSIDE RELIEVES JAIL CELL SHORTAGE

In view of the reported house shortage in Southern California, the information conveyed to U. S. District Judge Bledsoe yesterday by Dep. U. S. Dist.-Atty. Herron that there are a number of vacancies in the Riverside County Jail, ought to relieve the pressure somewhat.

The Los Angeles County Jail has been crowded for some time, and violators of the liquor laws have been sent to the jails of Imperial, Orange, San Bernardino and Riverside counties. So great has been the rush for accommodations in these places that it was contemplated to send some of the offenders to more distant points. But the report that there are thirteen cells in Riverside awaiting occupants, ought to help some, the court believes.

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